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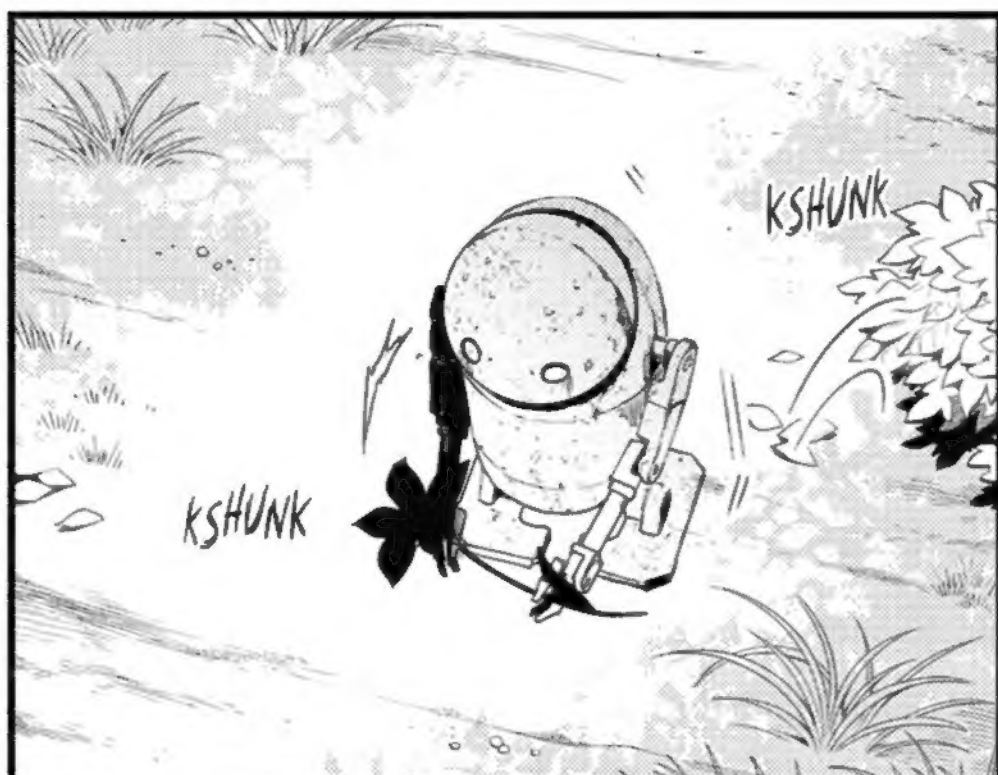
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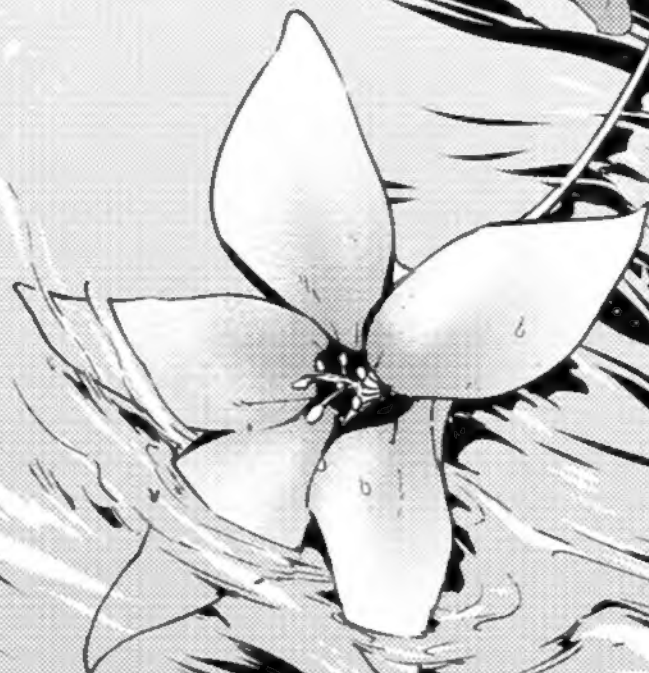


THE ENEMY
KILLED OUR
BROTHERS!

DESTROY
HER!

SHUT
UP.

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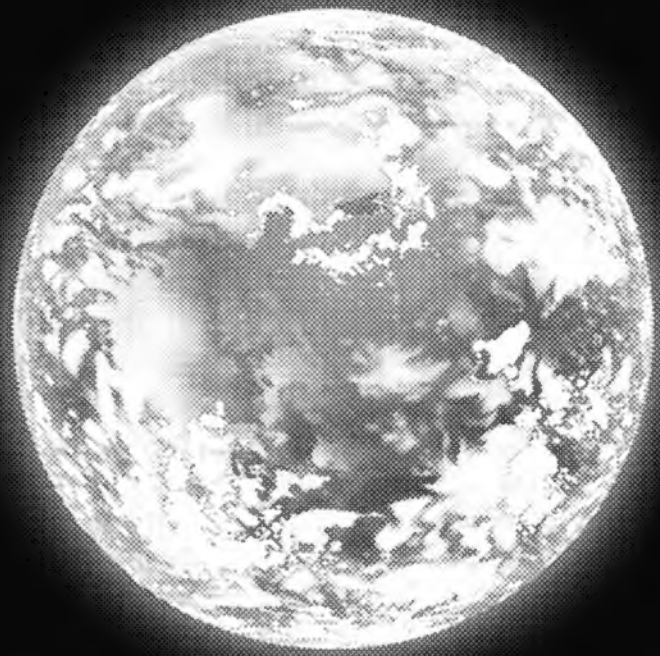
THESE
ARE MY
MEMORIES
OF THE
BATTLE.

FOUR YEARS AGO...

DECEMBER 8,
11941 A.D.

THE EARTH'S
STRATOSPHERE

IS
THAT THE
OCEAN?







UNITS
DEPLOYED
FOR THE
MISSION:
16.

THE PEARL
HARBOR
DESCENT
BEGAN 45
MINUTES
AGO.

THE VAST
PLANET
BEFORE
US NOW,
EARTH...

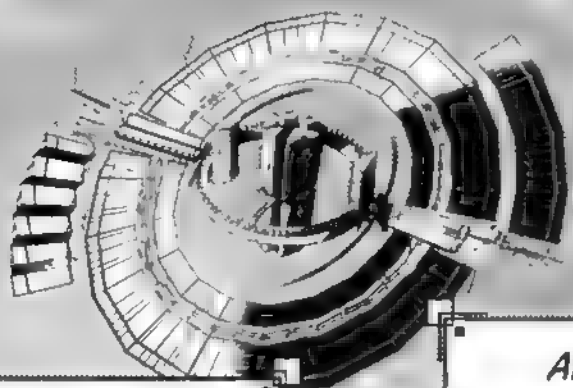
...NO
LONGER
BELONGS
TO
HUMANITY.

HA HA.
THE OPERATION
MIGHT EVEN
GO BETTER IF
WE'RE RELAXED.

NO. 1!

YOU'RE
ALWAYS SO
INSPIRING,
CAPTAIN!

FWOOM
THE 14TH
MACHINE
WAR.



THEY
DEVELOPED
ANDROIDS TO
FIGHT THE
MACHINES AND
RECLAIM THEIR
PLANET.

AFTER
FLEEING TO
THE MOON,
HUMANITY
BUILT A BASE
IN EARTH'S
ORBIT.

A LONG
TIME
AGO, IN
THE YEAR
5012...

...ALIENS
SUDDENLY
INVADED
EARTH.

THEY AND
THEIR MACHINE
LIFEFORMS
PUSHED
HUMANITY TO
THE BRINK OF
EXTINCTION.

THAT IS THE
HISTORY
PRESENTED
TO US
ANDROIDS.



BEFORE DEPLOYMENT
THE BUNKER

IT'S BEEN
MILLENNIA SINCE
THE ALIENS
INVADED, AND WE
ARE YET TO DEAL
THEM A DECISIVE
BLOW.

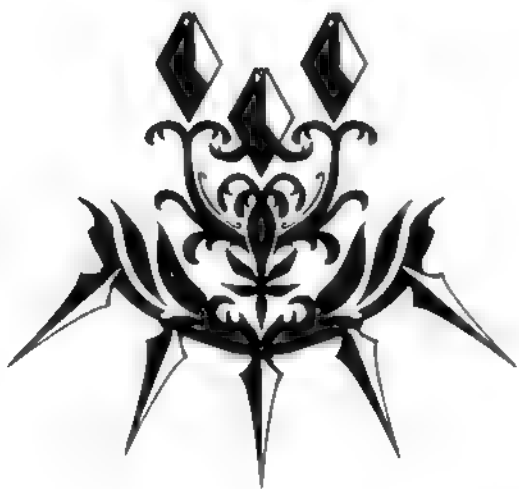
IN A
FEW HOURS, YOU
WILL BE JOINING
ME ON A MISSION
TO TAKE BACK
EARTH.








THE CORPS
FOR THIS
MISSION IS
COMPRISED
ENTIRELY
OF NEW
ANDROIDS.





FOR YEARS,
THINGS HAVE
STOOD AT A
STALEMATE
BETWEEN
MACHINES AND
ANDROIDS.

SO A NEW
TYPE OF
AUTOMATED
INFANTRY WAS
DEVELOPED
TO TURN
THINGS
AROUND.

YORHA.

THAT IS
WHO WE
ARE.



I NEED TO
CONCENTRATE
ON THE
MISSION,
BUT I'M TOO
NERVOUS...

MY RESULTS
IN THE
SIMULATIONS
WERE NO
BETTER THAN
AVERAGE.



BUNKER,
COME IN.

THIS IS
YORHA
CAPTAIN
NO. 1.

WILL I BE
ABLE TO
SEE THIS
THROUGH?





THIS WILL
BE EASY.

THINGS ARE
PROCEEDING
SMOOTHLY.
T-MINUS 40
MINUTES UNTIL
ARRIVAL.

NO ENEMIES
IN SIGHT.

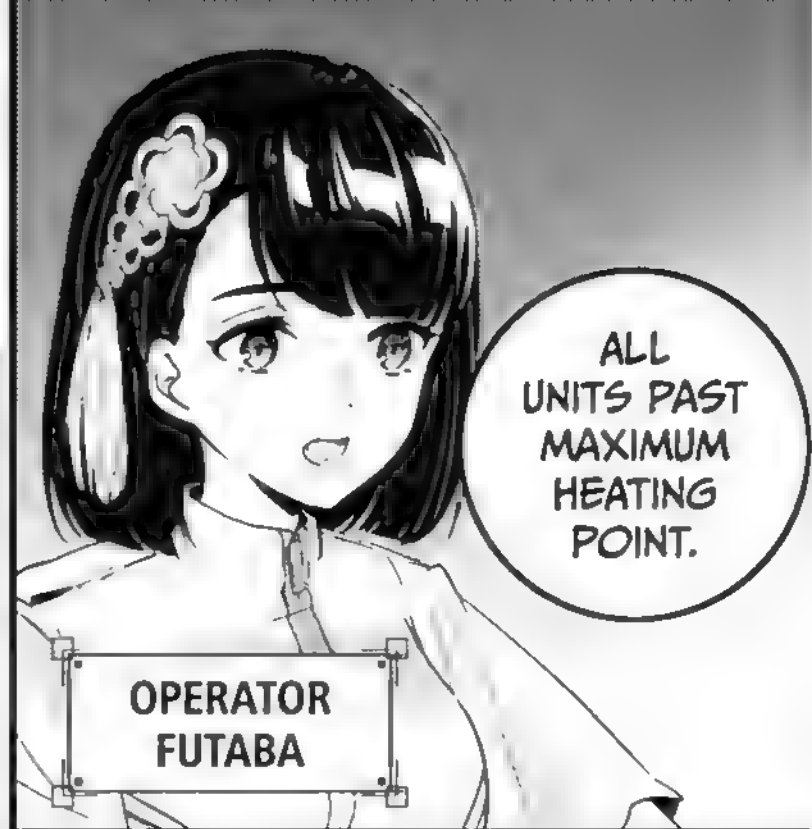


THIS IS
BUNKER
COMMAND.

COMMUNICATIONS
REESTABLISHED
WITH ALL 16
YORHA UNITS.

BUNKER COMMANDER
WHITE

SATELLITE BASE





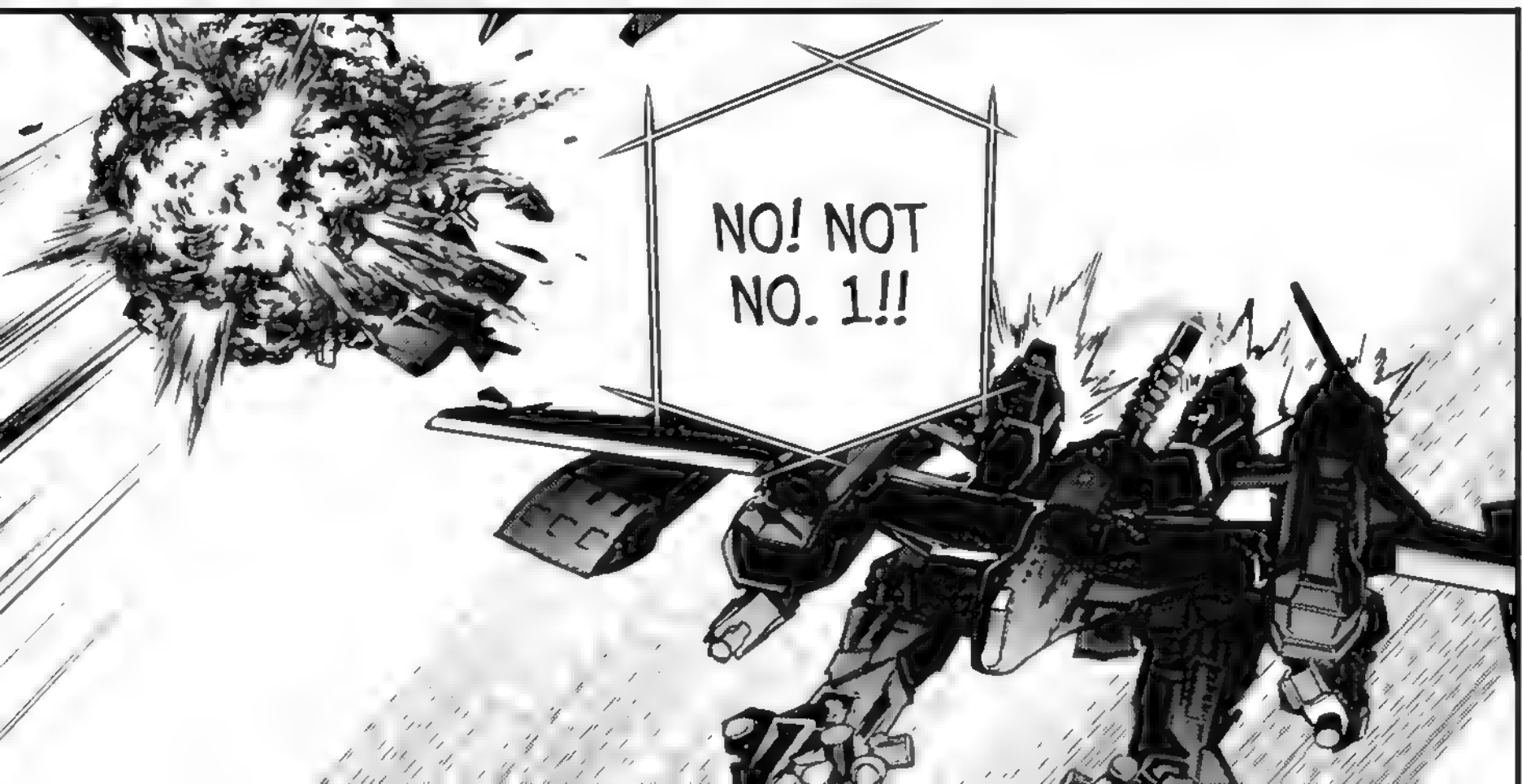
AS LONG AS
I PERFORM
LIKE I DID
IN MY DRILL,
I'LL BE—

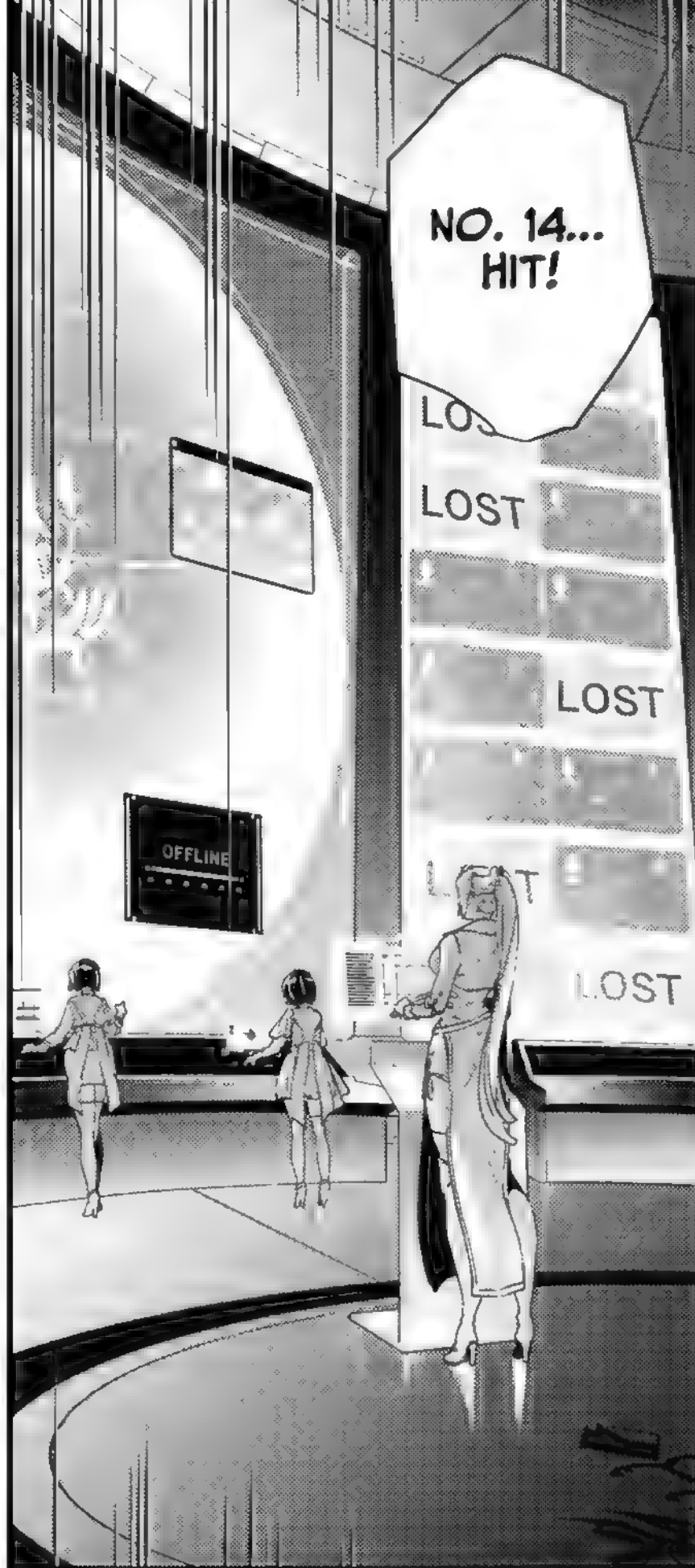
IF SHE
SAYS
WE'LL BE
FINE...

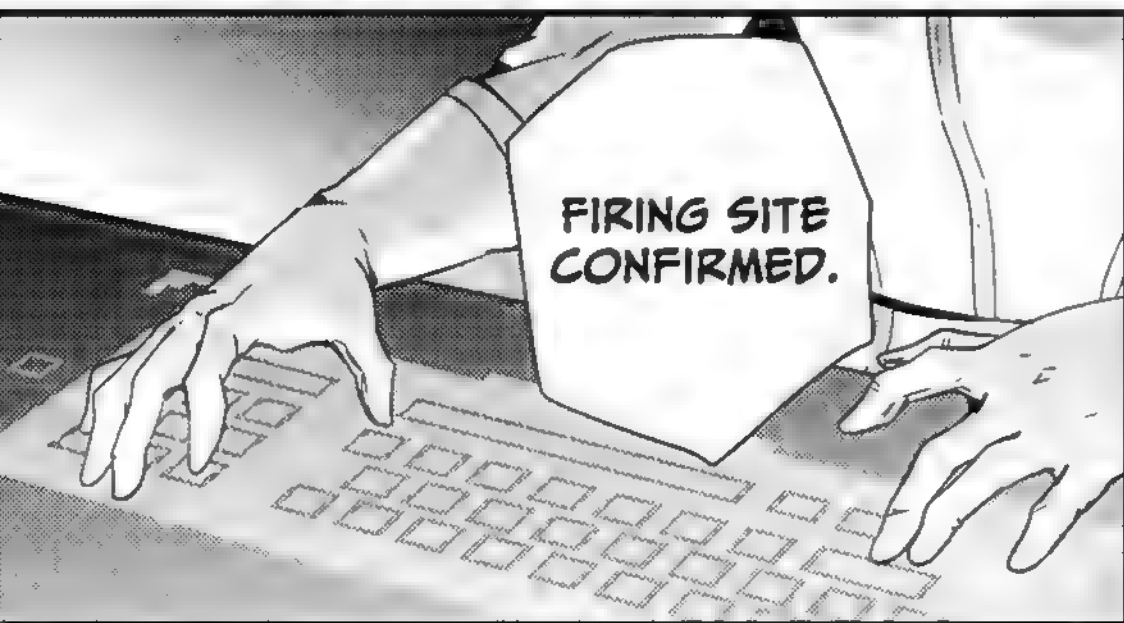
...WE'LL
BE
FINE.

CLENCH











SATELLITE
D132 WILL
MOVE INTO
POSITION
FOR LASER
ASSAULT IN 24
SECONDS.

DESTROY
THE ISLAND.

I
AUTHORIZE
IT.



DAMMIT, NO
ONE SAID
ANYTHING
ABOUT THIS!

BZZT

HELP!





COME IN,
NO. 2!

GASP



NO...
NOT
NO. 1...

OUR
CAPTAIN—

...NO. 2!



PLEASE
CONFIRM
ACCEPTANCE
OF CAPTAIN
PRIVILEGES,
NO. 2.

CAPTAIN
NO. 1,
CONFIRMED
LOST.

IN
ACCORDANCE
WITH OPERATION
PROCEDURE,
CAPTAIN
PRIVILEGES
ARE PASSED
TO YOU.



I AM...
CAPTAIN.

CONFIRMED!

O-O-KAY!



I CAN'T
FREEZE
UP OR
EVERYONE
WILL DIE!

EVERYONE,
SPREAD
OUT!

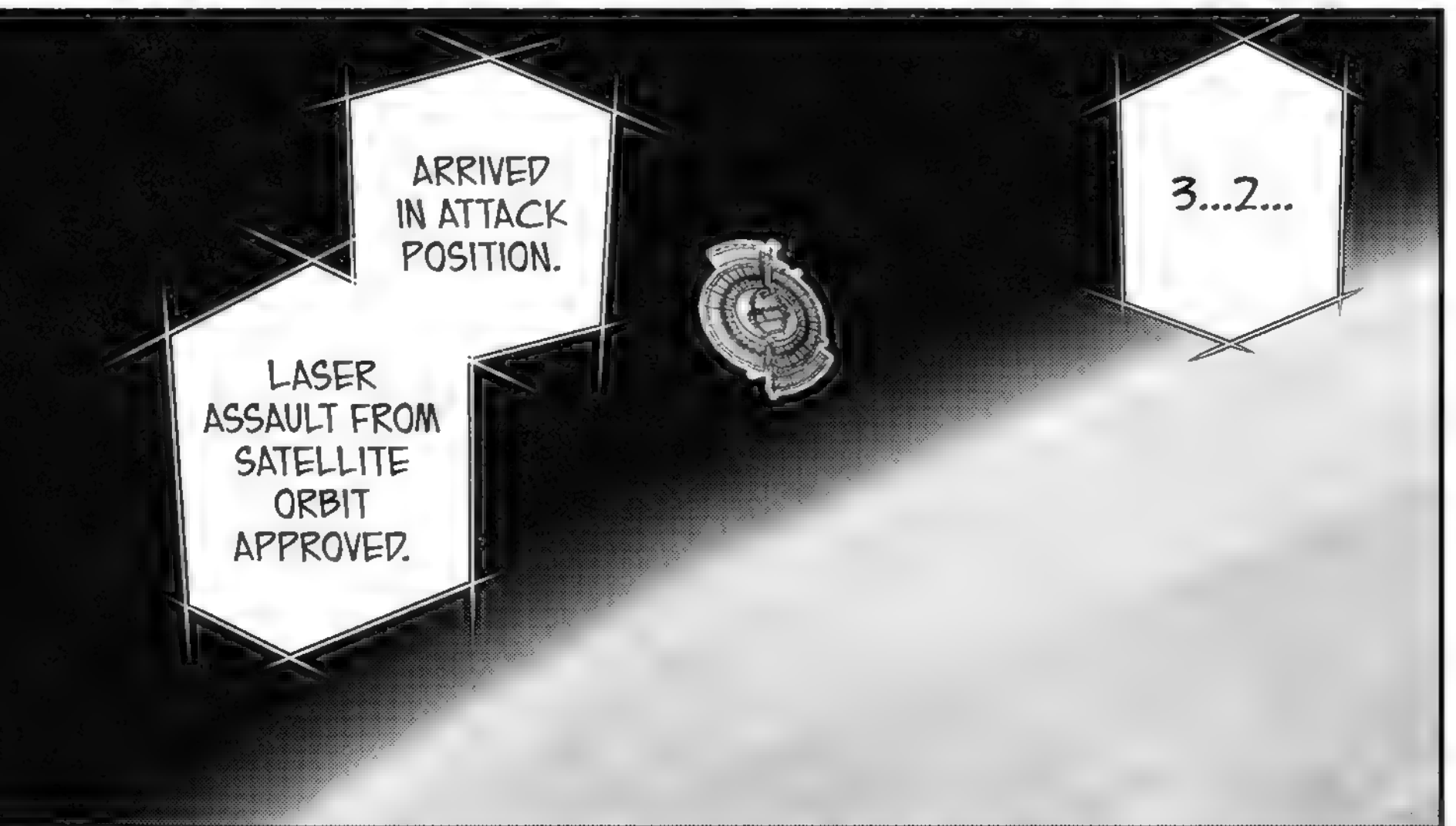
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WHM

FTHOOM











THE
ATTACKS...
STOPPED.

WE...
WE SURVIVED!

HUFF

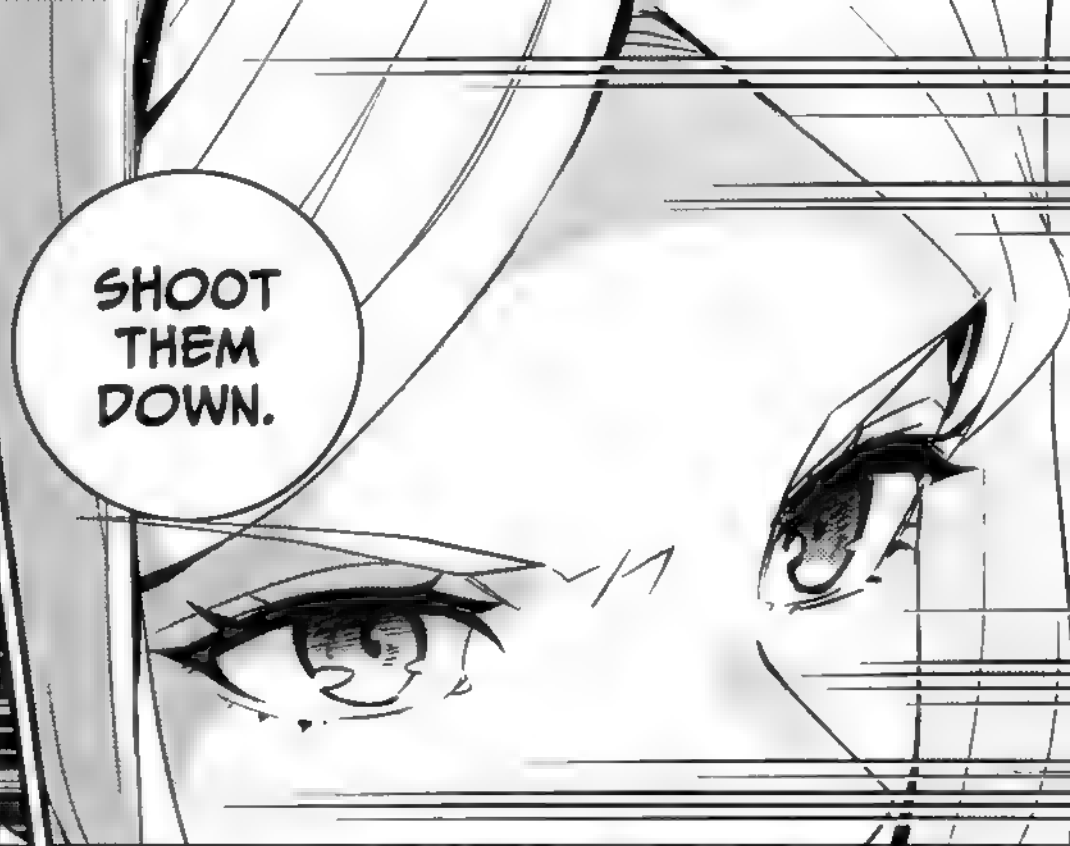
HUFF

HUFF





Y-YES,
MA'AM!



SHOOT
THEM
DOWN.

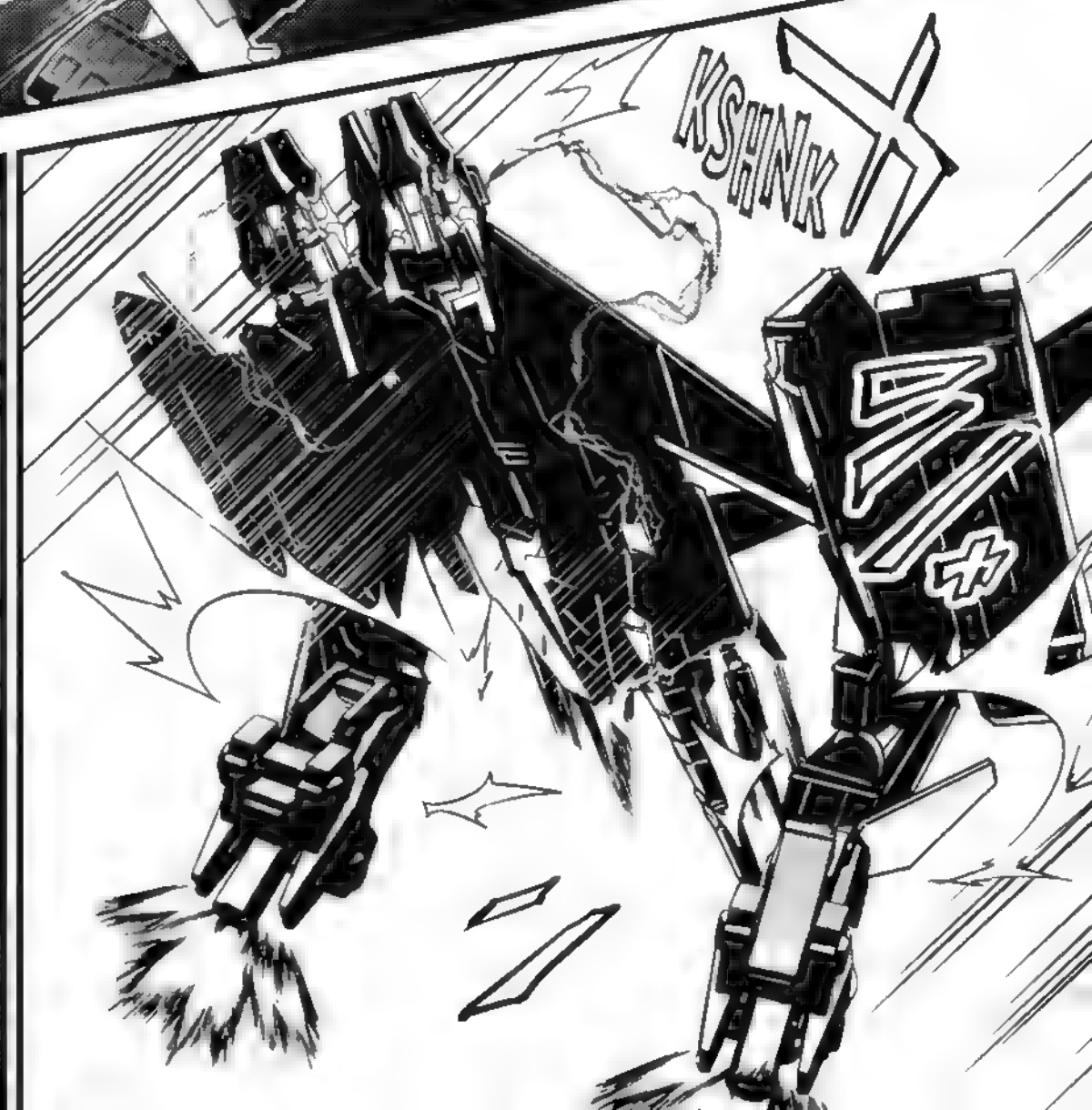


YORHA,
DEPLOY
F-15'S!

FWSH

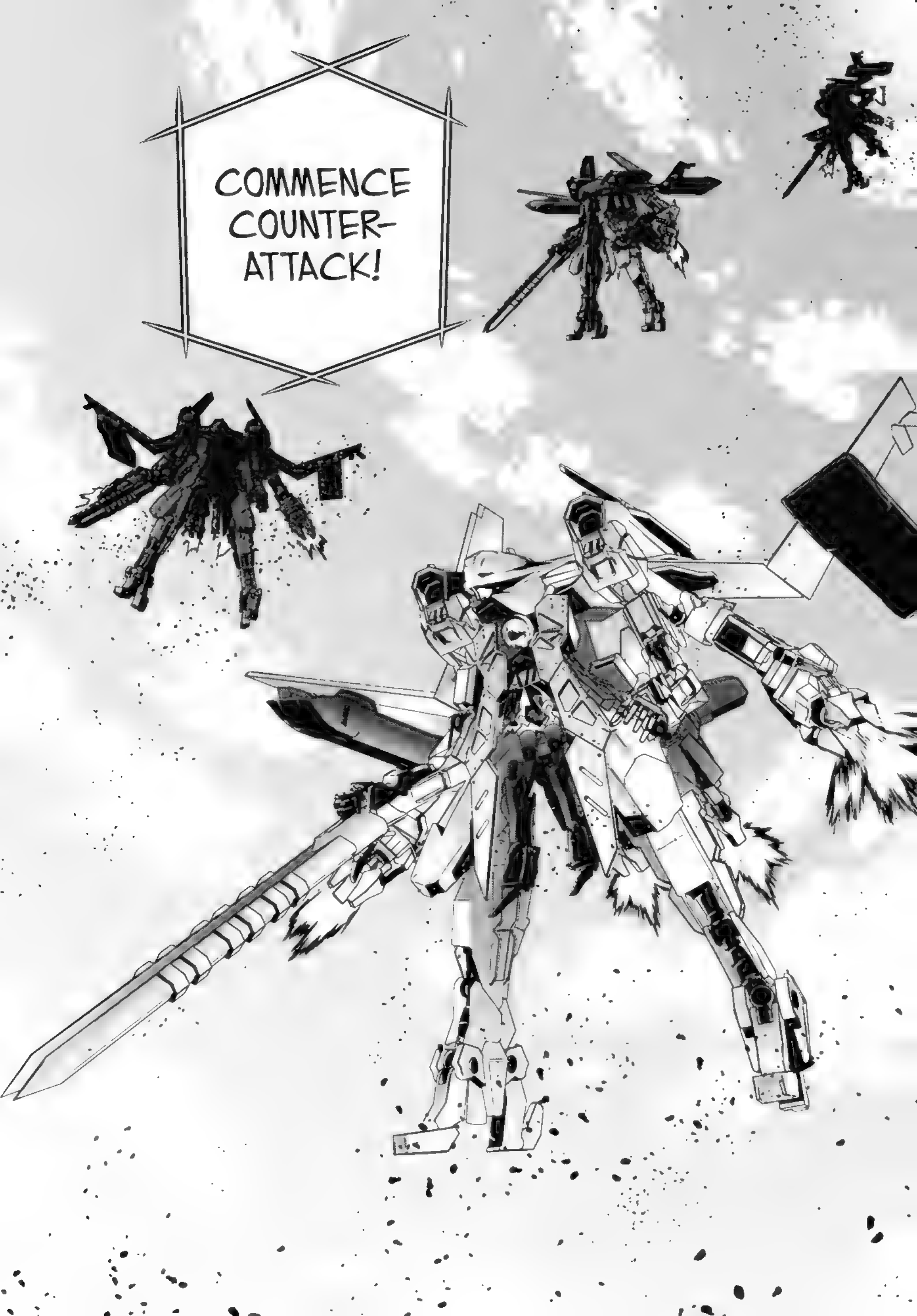


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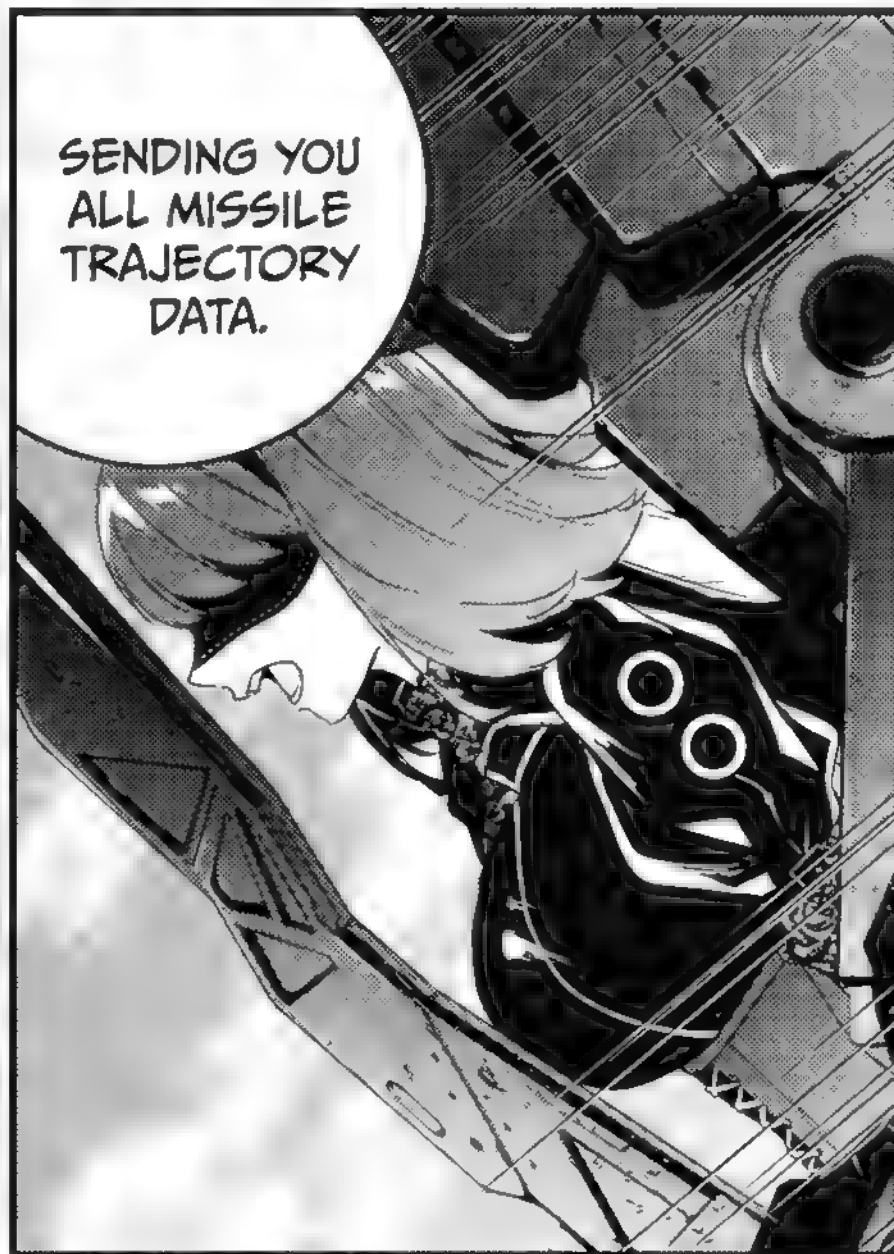
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COMMENCE
COUNTER-
ATTACK!

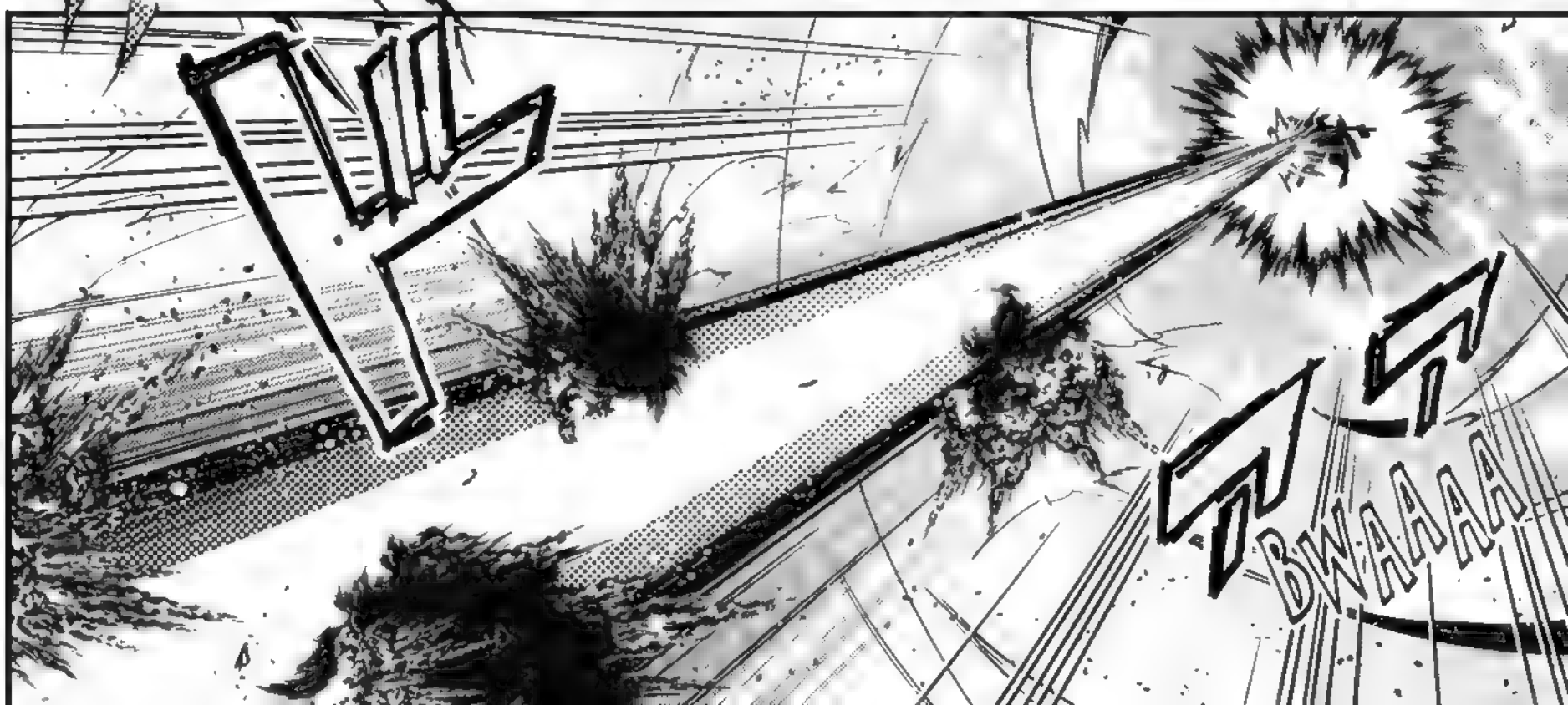




I CAN'T
BELIEVE
THERE'RE
SO FEW OF
US LEFT!



SENDING YOU
ALL MISSILE
TRAJECTORY
DATA.



NO. 4,
LET'S
GO!

YES!!

STAY ON
GUARD!
MORE
COMING!

OKAY!

BAM

BAM

BAM

BAM





WE DID
IT...



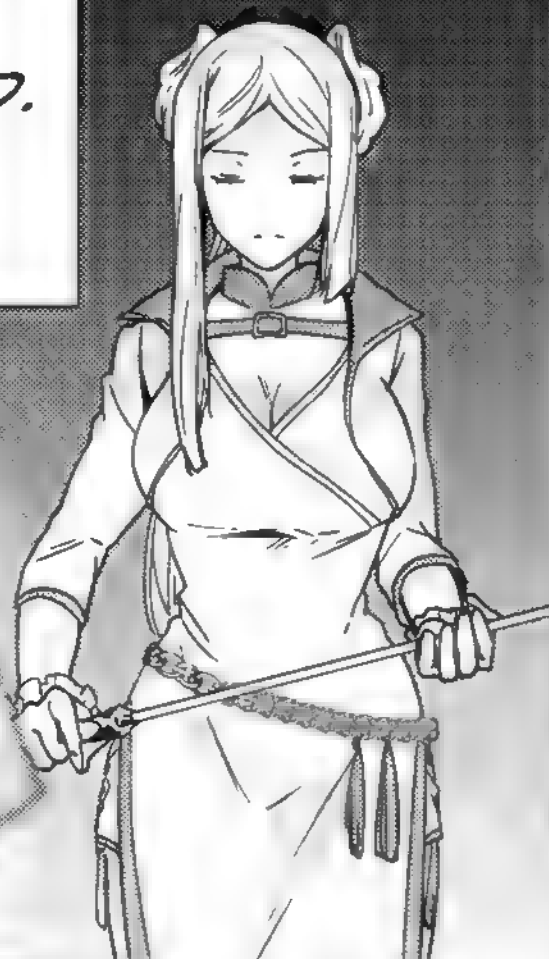






FOUR
YORHA
UNITS...

...SURVIVED.



THOSE
ANTIMAGNET
SKINS
WORKED.

CONTINUE PINGING
VIA LASER
COMMUNICATIONS.

YES,
MA'AM.

I HAVE
HIGH
HOPES...

...FOR
YOU NEW
MODELS.







NO. 16...?

GOOD
MORNING.

WAIT.



NGH...



ROAR

CLEAR
YOUR
HEAD
AND
GET
TO
WORK!



STATUS
REPORT!

OH!

S-



...NO. 4,
ACCOUNTED
FOR.



ATTACKERS
NO. 2 AND...



THESE
FOUR UNITS
SUCCESSFULLY
INFILTRATED
ENEMY
TERRITORY.

DUE TO
CAPTAIN UNIT
NO. 1'S DEATH,
CAPTAIN
PRIVILEGES
HAVE BEEN
TRANSFERRED
TO NO. 2.

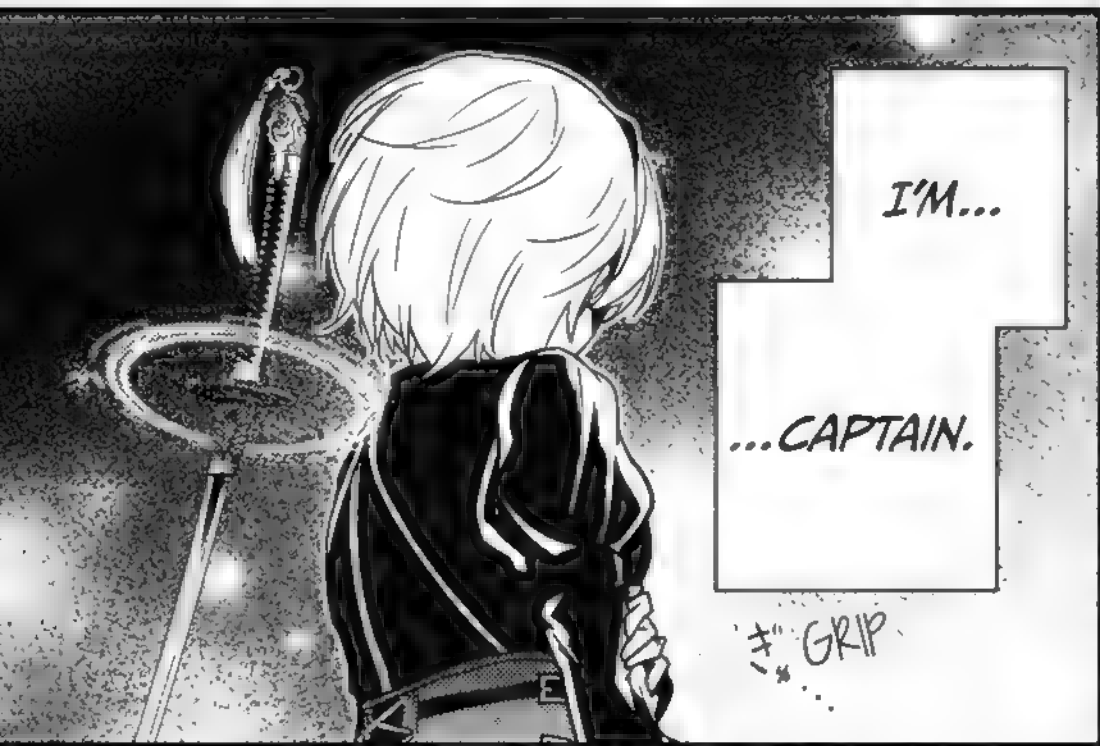


GUNNER
NO. 16,
ACCOUNTED
FOR.



...ACCOUNTED
FOR.

AND ME,
SCANNER
NO. 21...



SO
THIS IS
EARTH...





I KNOW,
I'M SORRY.

YES!




BUT IT'S
NOT LIKE
WE'RE IN
IMMEDIATE
DANGER,
NO. 16.



GET YOUR
ACT
TOGETHER,
NO. 2!

YOU'RE
OUR
CAPTAIN,
REMEM-
BER?!

JUMP




WHAT ARE
WE SUPPOSED
TO DO IF
YOU'RE NOT ON
TOP OF YOUR
GAME, NO. 2?!

WHAT THE
HELL ARE
YOU TALKING
ABOUT?
NO. 1 IS
DEAD!



STILL!



I'M GLAD
SOMEONE AS
CALM AND
COLLECTED AS
YOU SURVIVED,
NO. 21!

NO.



I
COULD...

...NEVER
BE LIKE
NO. 1...



I AGREE.



EXCUSE
ME? WHAT
WAS THAT?

THE
OTHER
MODELS
BESIDES
ME...

...ARE
EMOTIONAL
AND TEND TO
LOSE THEIR
COOL.



WE NEED TO
DISCUSS OUR
NEXT PLAN OF
ACTION.

THAT
ASIDE.

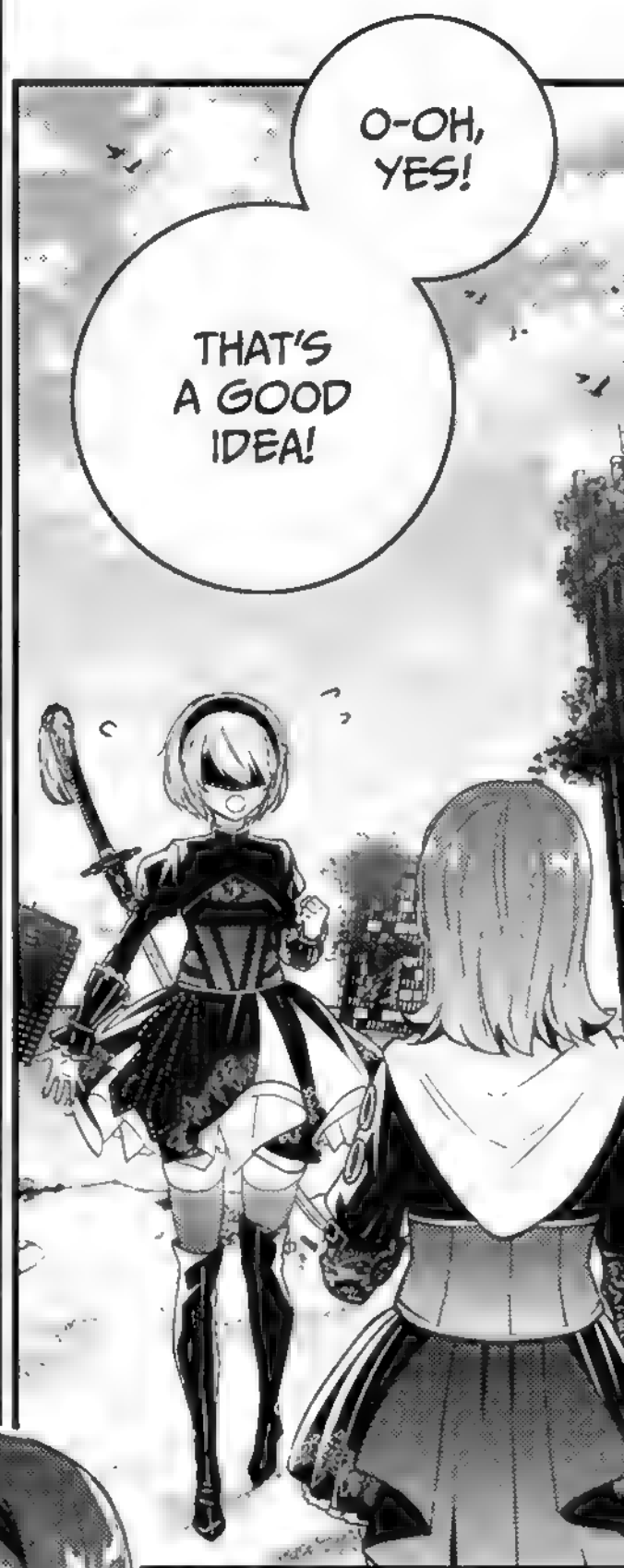




OPENING
COMMUNICATIONS
WITH COMMAND.

NO. 21 IS
INCREDIBLE.
SHE'S SO
CALM...

...DESPITE
THIS WHOLE
SITUATION.



O-OH,
YES!

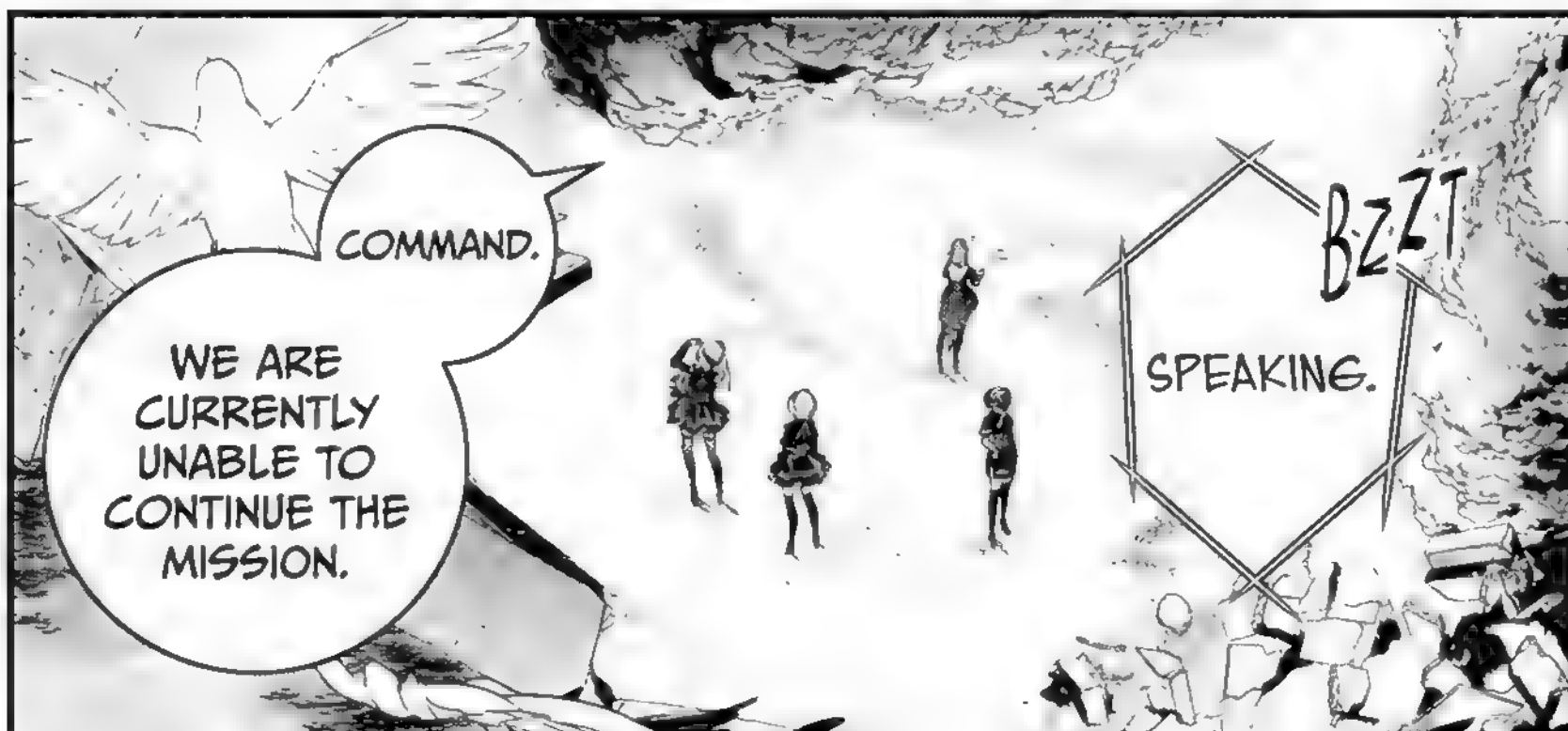
THAT'S
A GOOD
IDEA!



BEEP
BEEP

COME IN,
COMMAND.

IT SEEMS
LASER
COMMUNICATIONS
ARE BACK
ONLINE.



YOUR
REQUEST HAS
BEEN DENIED.

COMMAND TO
YORHA.





NO!

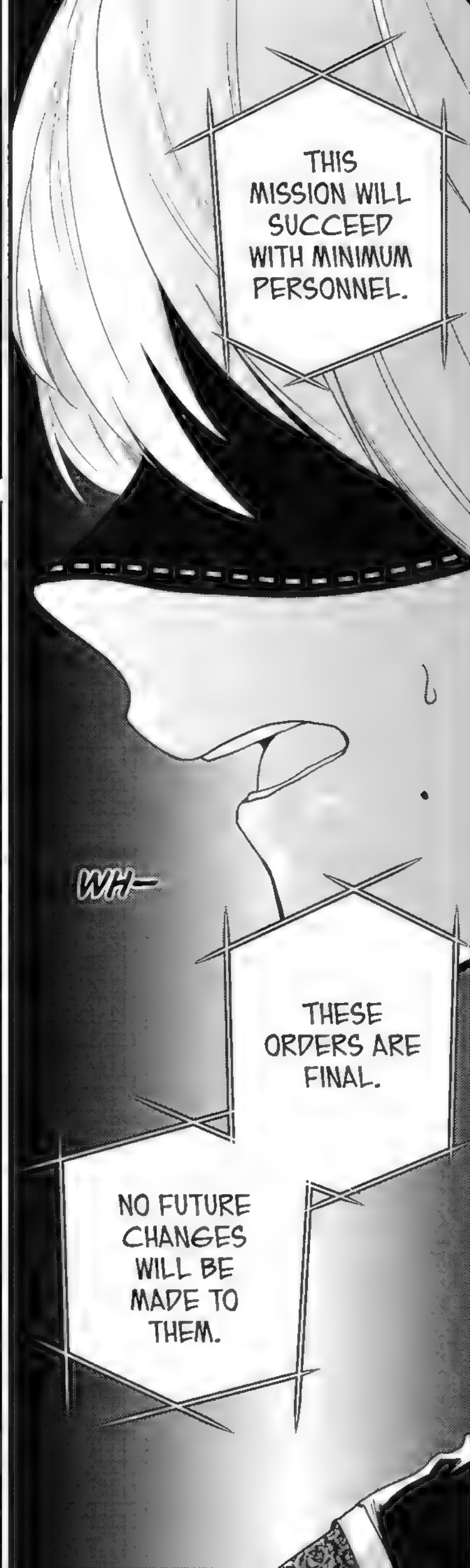
**THAT'S
SUICIDE!**



LASER
COMMUNICATION,
OVER AND OUT.

**COM-
MAND!!**

BZZT



THIS
MISSION WILL
SUCCEED
WITH MINIMUM
PERSONNEL.

WH-

THESE
ORDERS ARE
FINAL.

NO FUTURE
CHANGES
WILL BE
MADE TO
THEM.



I DON'T BELIEVE THIS.

HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO SUCCEED WITH JUST THE FOUR OF US?



THE... TRANSMISSION ENDED.



NO. 1 EVEN DIED. OUR NO. 1!

THERE'S NO WAY WE CAN DO THIS.



DAMMIT!

TWELVE UNITS DIED!!

BAM

AND JUST
WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING?

TAKING OFF
OUR GOGGLES
IS AGAINST
REGULATIONS!

WHAT THE
HELL IS
COMMAND
THINKING?!

WEARING
THIS THING
ALWAYS
THROWS
OFF MY
AIM!

AND YOU
HAVE NO
ROOM TO
TALK!

HMM?









NO. 1...



...WAS SUCH
A SOLID
CAPTAIN.
I COULD
NEVER TAKE
HER PLACE.





...THEN
I'VE GOT
MORE.

BESIDES...
...IF WE'RE
TALKING
RAW
POWER...



LISTEN!

FIRST,
LET'S-

WAIT!



NO. 16...



OKAY.



I
DETECTED...

...APPROXI-
MATELY
128,000
UNITS.

THAT'S
EIGHT TIMES
MORE THAN
ESTIMATED. AND
THEY'RE HEADED
RIGHT FOR US!

NO,
THIS
CAN'T
BE!

I'VE
DETECTED
MACHINE
LIFEFORM
HEAT
SIGNATURES.

AND
THERE
ARE—



YOU'RE
KIDDING
ME!

NOTHING
FOR IT BUT
TO TAKE
THEM ON!

SHK



I CAN'T
BELIEVE
THAT'S HOW
I SAW THIS
GOING.

"PERFORM
LIKE I DID IN
MY DRILL, AND
IT'LL ALL BE
FINE."

THAT
FEELS
SO
LONG
AGO
NOW.





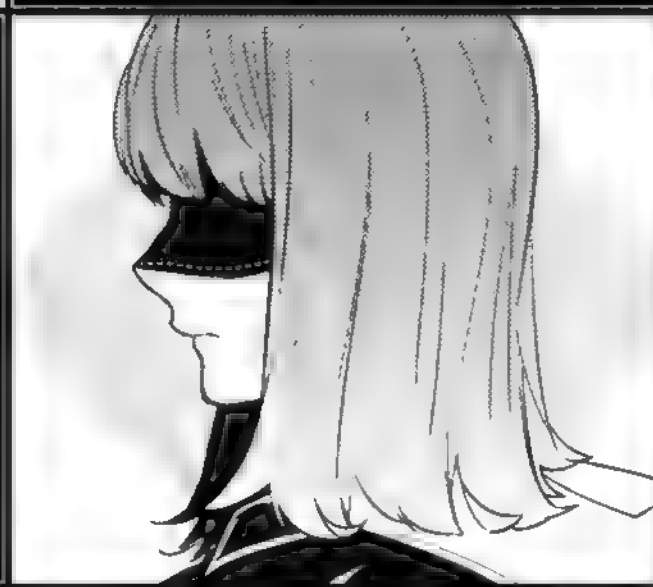


**ALL
UNITS,
MOVE
OUT!!**

**OUR
GOAL...**

**...IS TO
SUCCEED IN
OUR MISSION
AND RETURN
TO THE
BUNKER!**

**WE
HAVE TO
WIN!!**



GOGGLES

COMBAT GOGGLES WORN BY YORHA MODELS.
THEY DISPLAY A WIDE ARRAY OF INFORMATION
REGARDING TARGETS.



NO. 2

AN ATTACKER UNIT WHO USES A SWORD AND SPECIALIZES IN MELEE COMBAT. HER PERSONALITY SETTINGS ARE BASIC AND WITHOUT ANY QUIRKS, AND SHE HERSELF IS INTROVERTED AND NOT VERY CONFIDENT. THOUGH BEWILDERED BY HAVING ABRUPTLY BEEN MADE CAPTAIN UNDER EMERGENCY CIRCUMSTANCES, SHE VALUES HER SQUADMATES AND IS DOING ALL SHE CAN TO KEEP THEM SAFE.



THERE!

PEW

PEW

PEW



TAKE THIS!



CHAK



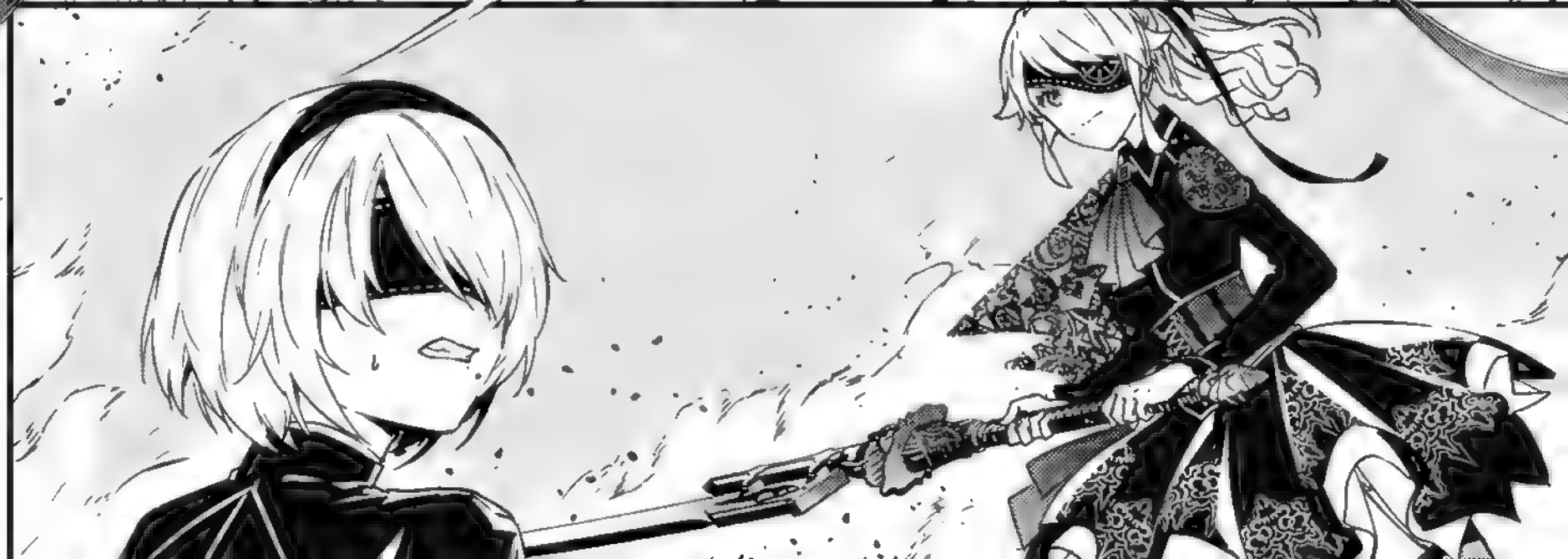
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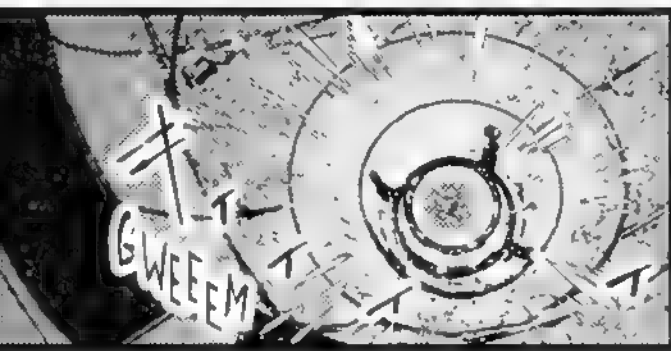
THAT'S A TOUGH ONE!



VWEEEN



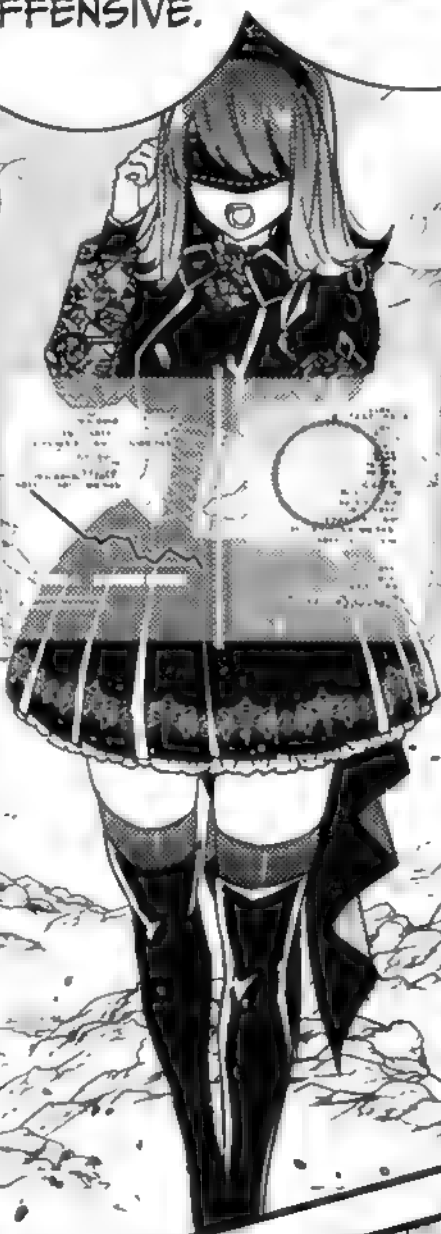




ALL THIS
IS GOING
TO DO IS
WEAR US
DOWN!

PREPARE
A COUNTER-
OFFENSIVE.

THEIR
ATTACK
PATTERNS
ARE
CHANGING.



NOTHING'S
WORKING!





NO. 2!

UGH!

ZZZT



...SUPPOSED
TO WIN
AGAINST ALL
OF THEM?!

HOW...?

HUFF

HOW
ARE
JUST
THE
FOUR
OF
US...

HUFF




I'M SORRY,
EVERYONE.



WE'RE ALL
GONNA DIE
IF WE DON'T
DO SOME-
THING!

DAMMIT!



I WON'T
LET THAT
HAPPEN!

GET OUT
OF THE
WAY!



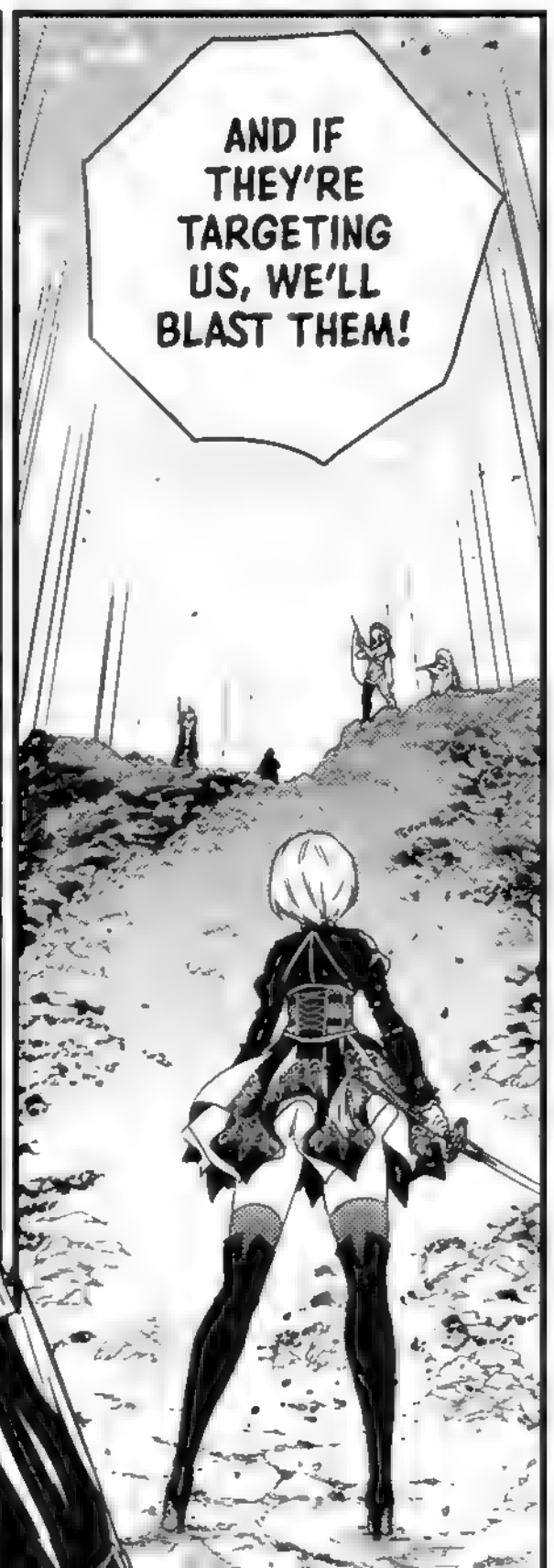
DOESN'T
MATTER.
THE
MACHINES
ARE OUR
ENEMY.



WHO
ARE YOU
PEOPLE?!



THESE
ARE...
ANDROIDS!



AND IF
THEY'RE
TARGETING
US, WE'LL
BLAST THEM!





...ARE
WORKING.

THEIR
ATTACKS...



USE YOUR
THERMO-
SENSORS.



O-O-KAY!



THE BRAIN
UNIT IS
HOUSED IN
A COOLED
AREA.

THAT'S
THEIR
WEAK
POINT.

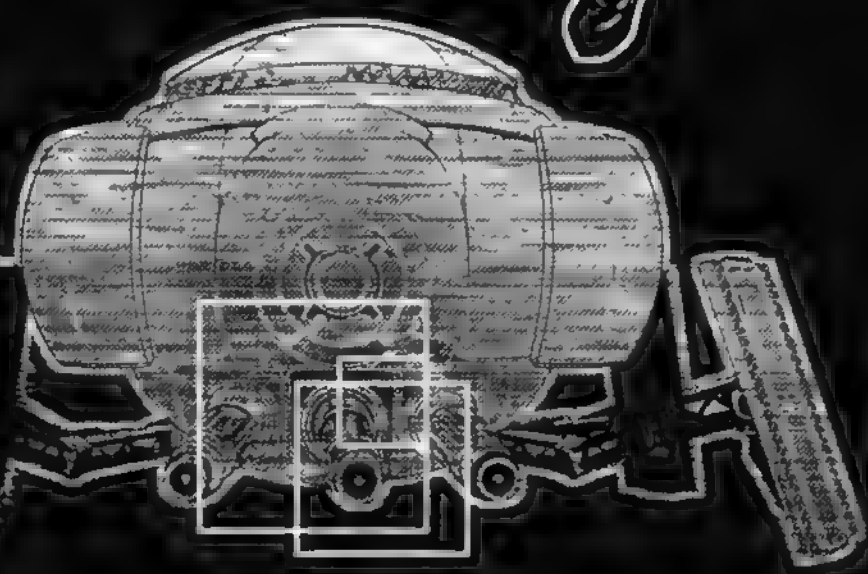


THERMO-
SENSORS
HAVE BEEN
TURNED ON.

THERMO-
SENSORS,
ON!



THERE
IT IS!





THOOM

THOOM

THOOM

EAT THAT!

BOOM



THIS IS
GOING TO
GO ON
FOREVER!



HA!
HOW
YOU LIKE
THAT?

WE...
WE BEAT
THEM!

DO
HUFF

HUFF



MORE
MACHINES
DETECTED!

ENEMY
REINFORCE-
MENTS!

BEEP



NOPE.

THIS IS
PERFECT.



WE HAVE
THE ENEMY
ALL IN ONE
PLACE.

JUST
AS WE
PLANNED.

AND
THAT'S
THANKS
TO YOU.

WHAT?

YOU DID
IT, CAPTAIN
ROSE!



CAPTAIN!

ALL
WIRELESS
CONNECTIONS
ARE IN GOOD
SHAPE.

I CAN PUT
THEM ON A
TIMER, OR
PULL THE
TRIGGER. UP
TO YOU!

TWO OF THE
EIGHT SENSORS
I LAID OUT
BROKE, BUT THAT
SHOULDN'T BE A
PROBLEM.



YES,
MA'AM!

GET
READY...

...TO
PULL THE
TRIGGER!



IT
DOESN'T
MATTER!

HOLD ON,
WHAT'S GOING
ON HERE?!



WHAT?!

IF YOU DON'T
WANT TO
GET BLOWN
UP WITH THE
MACHINES...

...THEN
GET OUT
OF HERE!



**YOU PIG-
HEADED
MACHINES!**

BEEP

BEEP

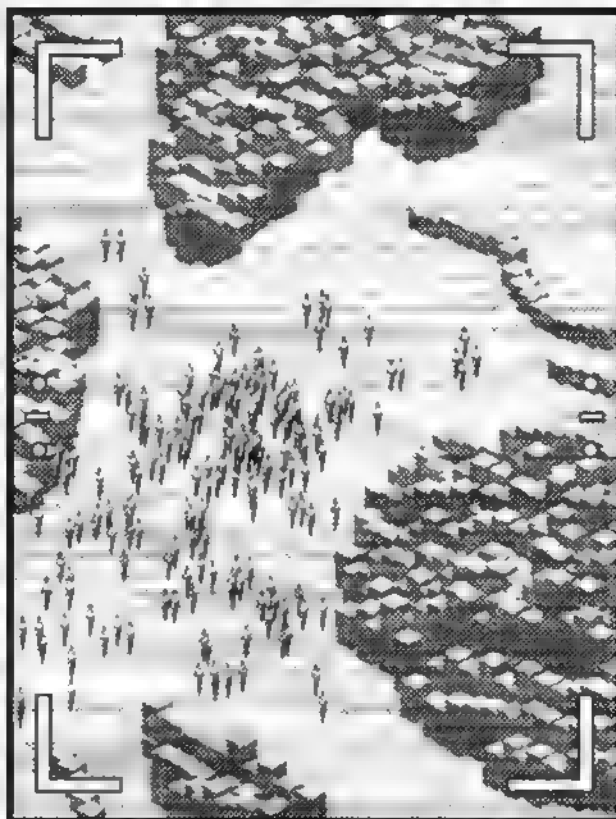
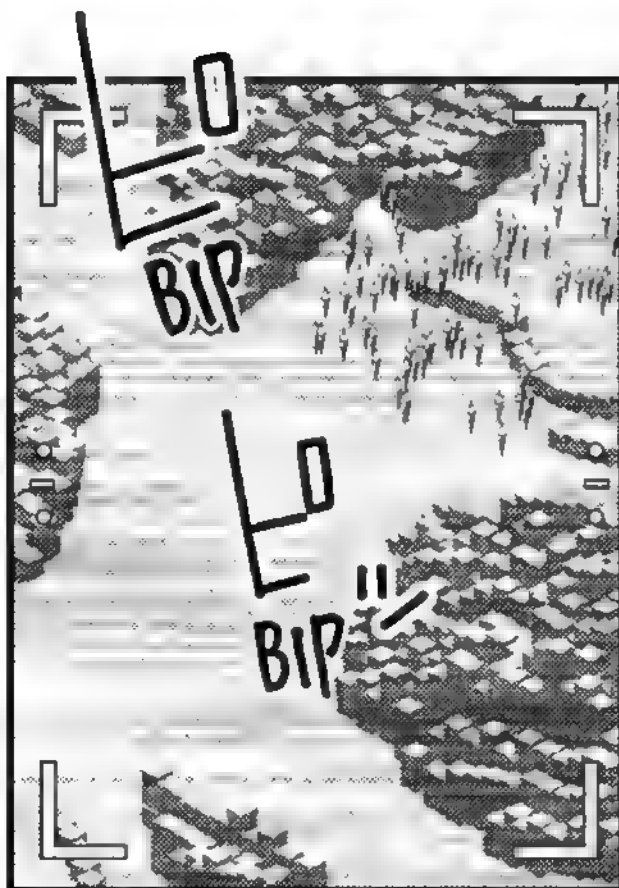
**TRY
THIS
ON FOR
SIZE!**



BOOM!

BEEP!

BWOOM



THE BUNKER



WHAT IS
GOING
ON?

LAND MINES
DETONATED.

THE
MACHINE
LIFEFORMS
HAVE BEGUN
THEIR RETREAT.



IT'S THE
RESISTANCE.

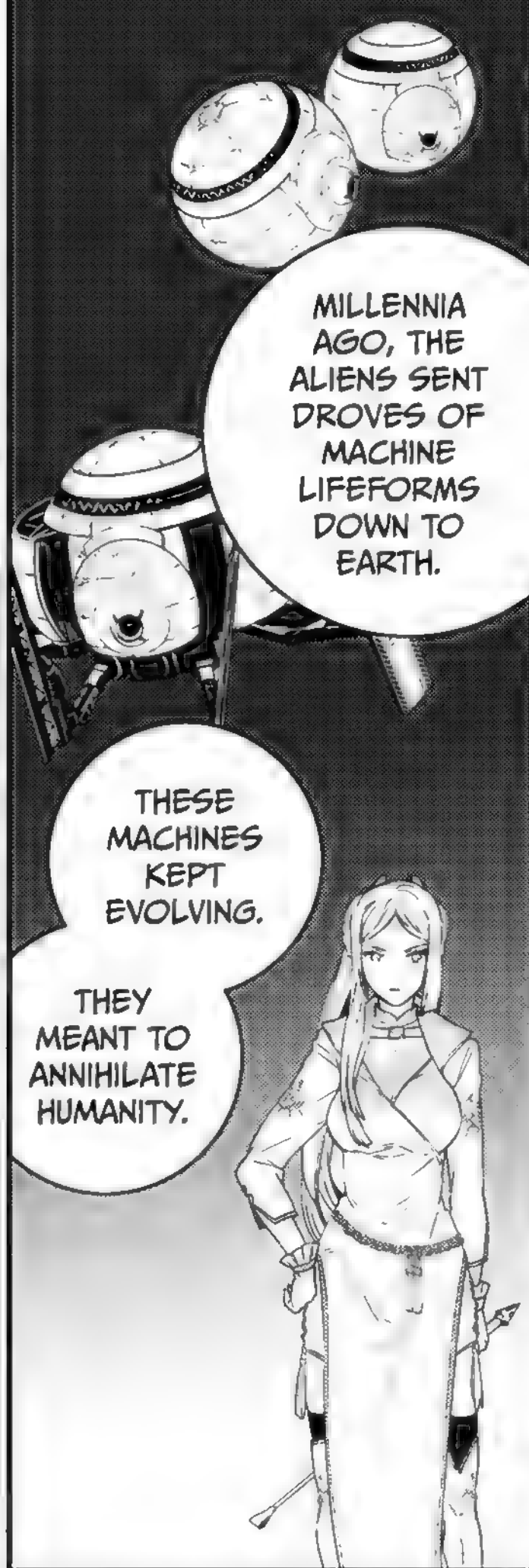
THE
RESISTANCE?



WE
ANDROIDS
HAVE BEEN
PLACED HERE
IN ORBIT FOR
A REASON,
RIGHT?

WHEN
HUMANITY
FLED TO THE
MOON, WE
TOOK THEIR
SPOT.

WE ARE
THEIR FRONT
LINES OF
DEFENSE.



MILLENNIA
AGO, THE
ALIENS SENT
DROVES OF
MACHINE
LIFEFORMS
DOWN TO
EARTH.

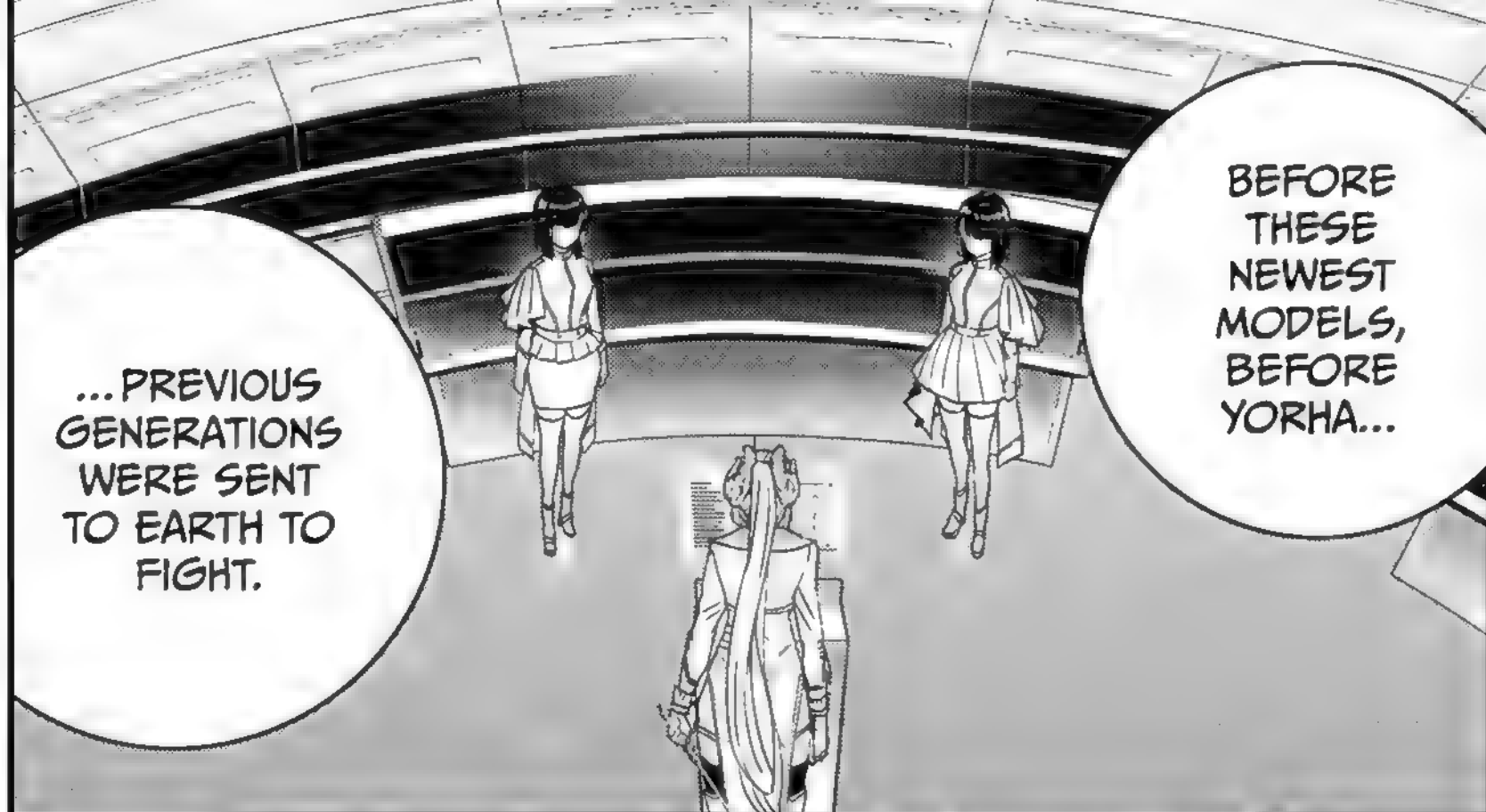
THESE
MACHINES
KEPT
EVOLVING.

THEY
MEANT TO
ANNIHILATE
HUMANITY.



PRECISELY.

SO WE ALSO
CREATE NEWER
MODELS TO
FIGHT BACK
AGAINST THE
MACHINES.



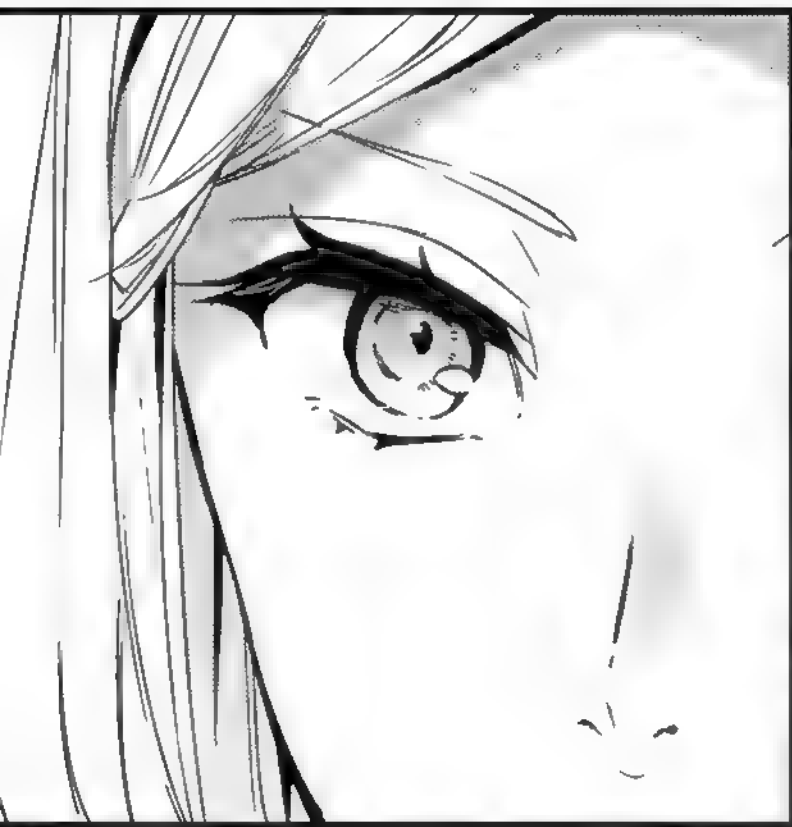
...PREVIOUS
GENERATIONS
WERE SENT
TO EARTH TO
FIGHT.

BEFORE
THESE
NEWEST
MODELS,
BEFORE
YORHA...



THOSE GIRLS
ARE SURVIVORS.
THEY HAVE
BEEN FIGHTING
ON EARTH FOR
CENTURIES.

SO THAT'S
WHO THEY
ARE.



...WE CAN
MANAGE
IF THE
RESISTANCE
WORKS
WITH US!

IN THAT
CASE,
EVEN WITH
ONLY FOUR
SURVIVORS...




...WE'LL
SEE
ABOUT
THAT.

MMM...







...I'LL
KILL YOU
ON THE
SPOT!

TELL ME
WHO YOU
ARE.

AND IF
I DON'T
LIKE YOUR
ANSWER...



LEFT-HAND SALUTE

UNLIKE THE RESISTANCE, YORHA SALUTES WITH THE LEFT HAND. YORHA UNITS HAVE BEEN PROGRAMMED WITH A DEEP LOVE FOR THEIR CREATORS, AND THE SALUTE DEMONSTRATES A MINDSET THAT THEY CANNOT, AND WILL NOT, IMITATE THE NOBILITY THAT IS HUMANITY.

Chapter 3

NO. 4

AN ATTACKER SKILLED IN SWORDSMANSHIP. WHILE OPTIMISTIC AND OF THE TYPE TO GET CARRIED AWAY EASILY, SHE IS ALSO A KEEN OBSERVER AND OFTEN THE ONE TO SET THE TONE FOR THE GROUP. SHE HAS THE STRENGTH TO KEEP FIGHTING AND HOLD ON TO HOPE EVEN IN THE FACE OF TRAGEDY.







AND HOW
IS ONE MEASLY
UNIT SUPPOSED
TO CHANGE
ANYTHING?

YOU
APPEARED
OUT OF
NOWHERE.

YOU
THINK I'M
GOING TO
JUST BELIEVE
YOU?

I DON'T
KNOW
ABOUT
THAT.



THAT IS BECAUSE
OUR STRATEGY
DOES NOT INCLUDE
LARGE-SCALE
ENGAGEMENT WITH
THE ENEMY...



TELL ME
THE REAL
REASON
WHY...



HUH.





EEK!

GRAB

HEY!

WE'RE NOT
MACHINES!
YOU WATCH
YOUR
MOUTH!



GLOOM
+

IT'S NOT
IMPOSSIBLE
THAT THEY
COULD'VE
TAKEN HUMAN
FORM!



WHAT
THE HELL!

WHP

STOP RIGHT
THERE! GET
YOUR DIRTY
HANDS OFF
LILY!



YOU
WANNA
GO,
HUH?!

BRING
IT!



WAIT-

WHP

EVERYONE,
CALM-

L-LISTEN
TO-

KSHIING

WHSHHH

GUNS
DOWN,
NOW!



BUT THE
MACHINES
HAVE ALSO
BEEN MAKING
DISTURBING
MOVES AS
OF LATE.

WE
DON'T WANT
UNNECESSARY
CONFLICT
EITHER.



WE DON'T
KNOW ANYTHING
ABOUT YOU.
WE CAN'T JUST
TRUST YOU.



YOU!
DON'T
MOVE!

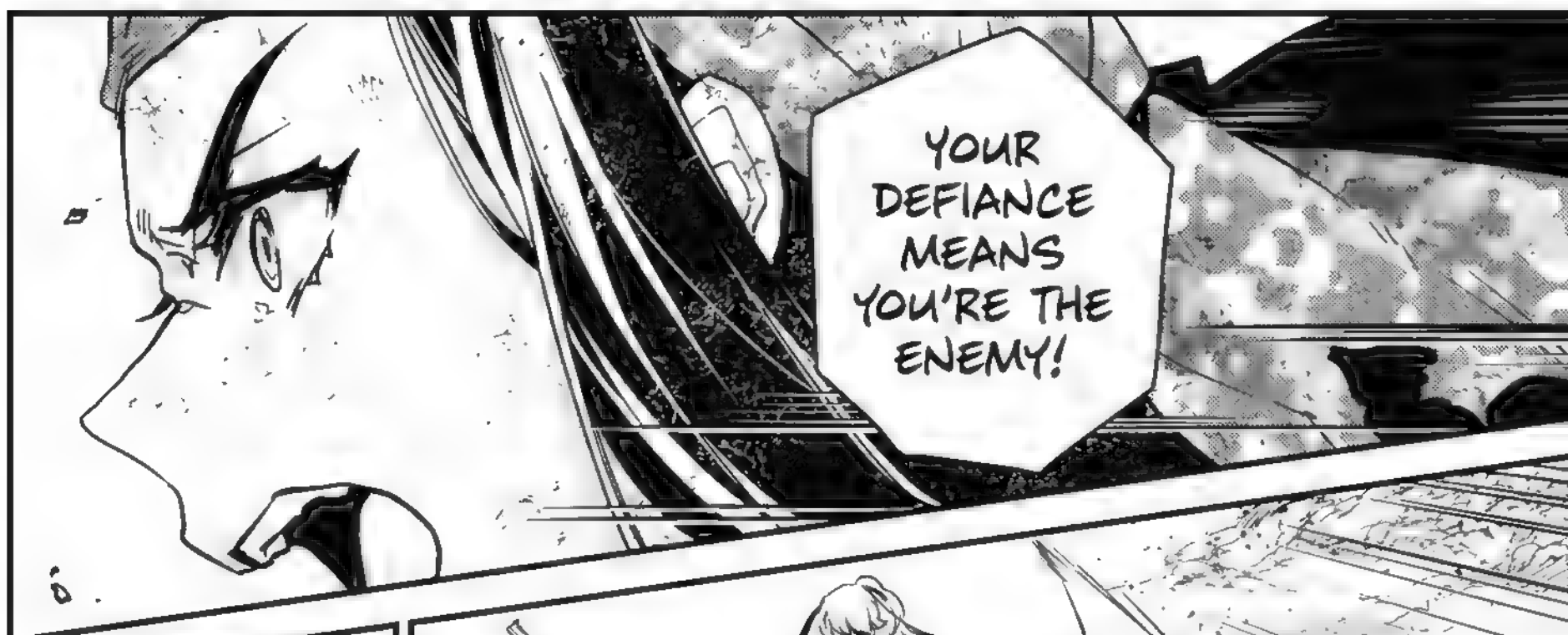
WHAAAT? SO...
ARE OUR
NEGOTIATIONS
FALLING
APART?

PANIC PANIC

WE
SHOULDN'T
FIGHT!

WH-WH-
WHAT'S GOING
TO HAPPEN
NOW?!

HUSH,
DAISY.







BUT MOST
OF OUR UNIT
DIED IN THE
DESCENT.

THERE
WERE...
16 OF US.



AND WE
STILL HAVE TO
COMPLETE
OUR MISSION.
JUST THE
FOUR OF US.

COMMAND
WON'T SEND
REINFORCE-
MENTS. WE'RE
ALONE.



WHAT WE
NEED MOST
RIGHT NOW
IS HELP!

PLEASE
UNDERSTAND!




HOLD
ON A
SECOND.

HELP?
YOU SOUND
LIKE A BABY
ASKING FOR
MOMMY.



LIKE YOU?



SOUNDS A
LOT LIKE US,
A LONG TIME
AGO.



ALONE,
HUH?

SO
THE MOON
ABANDONED
YOU.



MY
NAME IS
ROSE.

I COMMAND
THIS GROUP.



THE
ANDROIDS
YOU SEE HERE
ARE FROM
AN OLDER
GENERATION.



AND THAT
MAKES US
SURVIVORS...
FROM THE 8TH
DESCENT.

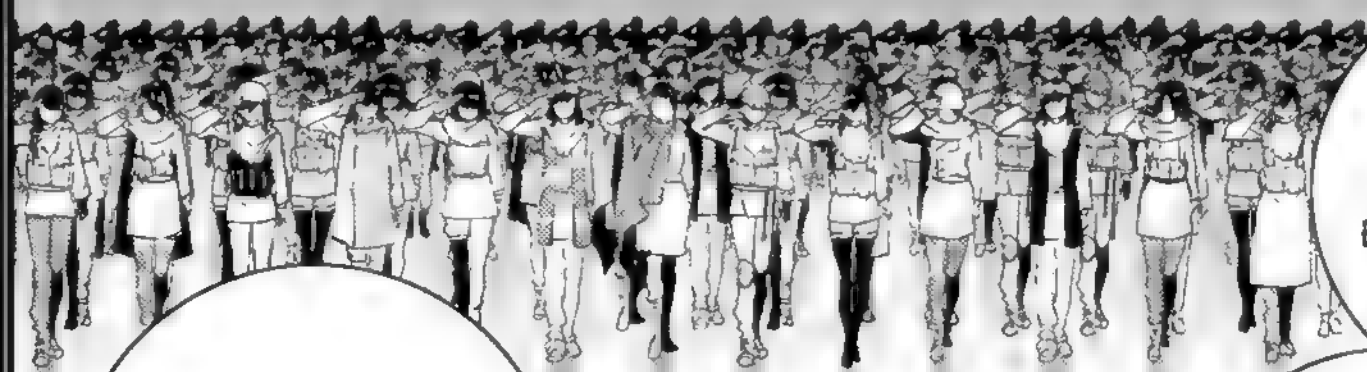


WE'VE
BEEN
FIGHTING
HERE THIS
WHOLE
TIME.

WAAAY
BEFORE
YOU GUYS
WERE EVER
CREATED.

THE 8TH
DESCENT?

THAT WAS
OVER 200
YEARS AGO,
THOUGH.



WE HAD
A DETAILED
STRATEGY,
CUTTING-EDGE
EQUIPMENT, AND
LEGIONS OF
ALLIES.

BUT OUR
MISSION
ENDED IN
FAILURE.



...WITH THE
GREATEST
FORCES OF
THE TIME ON
OUR SIDE.

WE
WERE
SENT
HERE...



WHY DID
SUCH A...

...LARGE-
SCALE
OPERATION
FAIL?




ACCORDING
TO THE RECORD,
THERE WAS
CONFUSION ABOUT
THE CHAIN OF
COMMAND.


AND
COOPERATION
AMONG
INDIVIDUAL
UNITS FELL
AP—

THAT'S
NOT
TRUE!





OUR
WEAPONS
STOPPED
WORKING
WHILE THEIR
NUMBERS
GREW BY
THE DAY.



THE MACHINES'
RETALIATION WAS
FAR BEYOND
WHAT WE WERE
EXPECTING.


...

WE LOST
SO MANY
THAT OUR
OPERATION
CRUMBLED.



AND THEY
CAME UP
WITH A
COUNTER-
STRATEGY.

THEY LEARNED
FROM OUR
STRATEGIES,
EQUIPMENT,
AND EVEN OUR
COMMS TECH.



EVEN THOUGH
ANYONE COULD
TELL THAT THE
MISSION WAS A
LOST CAUSE.

BUT THE
COUNCIL OF
HUMANITY KEPT
ORDERING US
TO GO AHEAD
WITH THE
OPERATION.



IT'S
BEEN
200
YEARS.

AND WE'VE
BEEN FIGHTING
AND SURVIVING.
ALONE.



WE WERE
LUCKY TO
SURVIVE.



WELL?

SOUND
FAMILIAR?



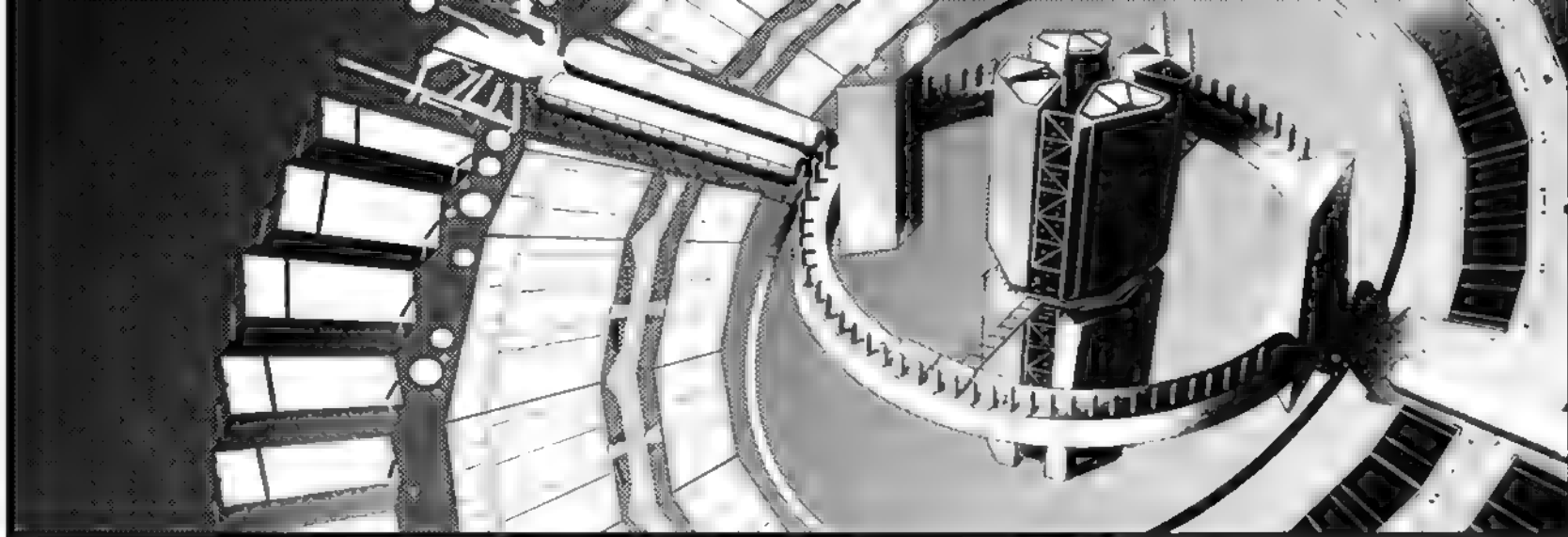
THE
MOON...

...ABANDONED
US...

THE MOON
ABANDONED
US.

JUST
LIKE
YOU.





DON'T
CURSE
US...

...NO. 2.

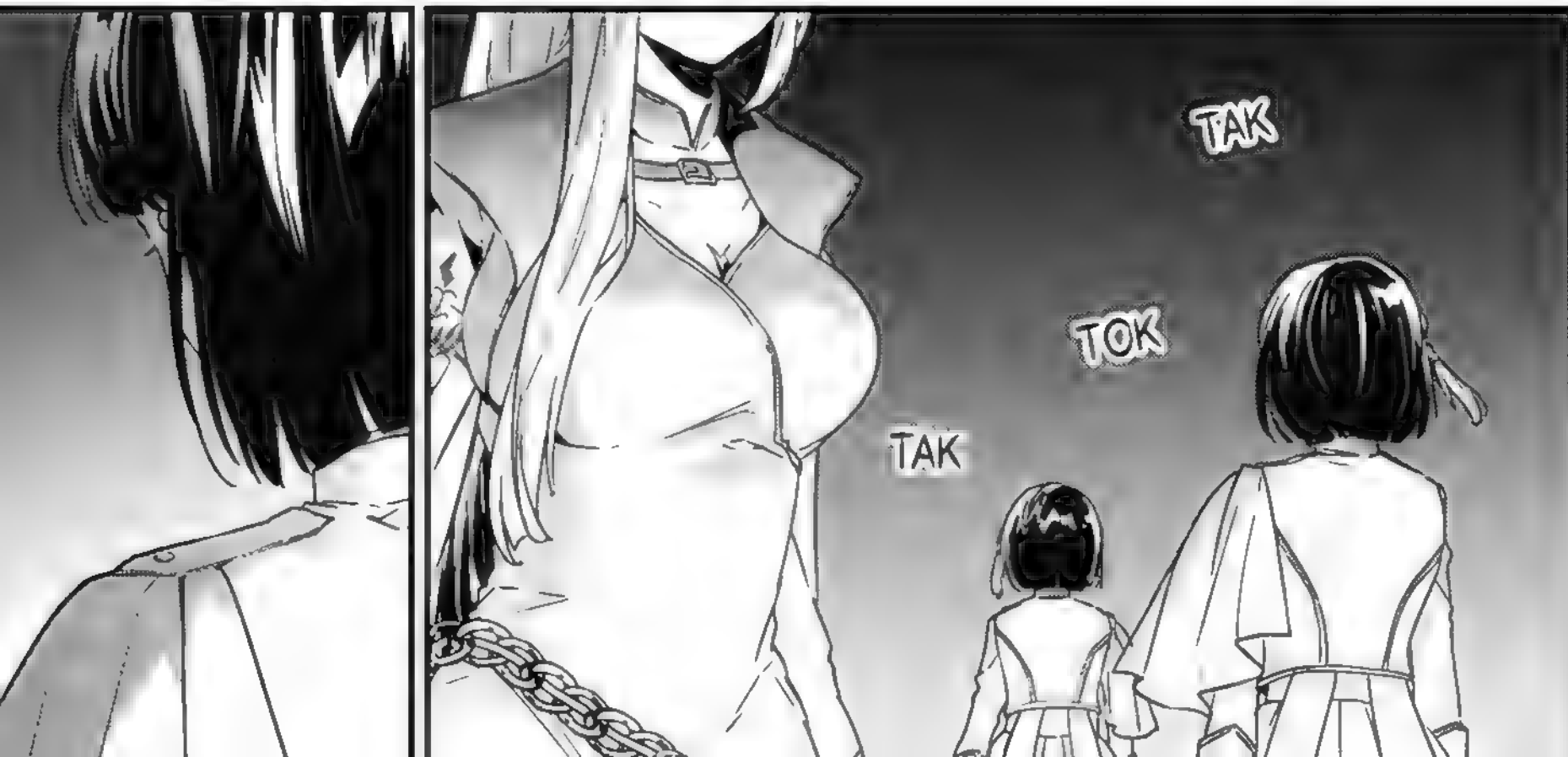


THE YORHA
UNITS HAVE
MERGED WITH
THE LOCAL
RESISTANCE.

THEY HAVE
REACHED THE
10 KM MARK
FROM THE
DESTINATION,
MOUNT KA'ALA.

I SEE.

OFFLINE







...WAS A
LARGE-SCALE
OPERATION
THAT SENT 160
ANDROIDS TO
EARTH.

BUT IT
ENDED IN
FAILURE.



HOW-
EVER...

...THOSE ONES
ARE MANAGING
TO CONTINUE
BATTLING THE
ENEMY ON
THEIR OWN AND
SURVIVING.



NO
NEED.

WE SHOULD
CONTACT THE
COUNCIL OF
HUMANITY AND
REQUEST
THEY BE RETR-



THAT IS
WHO THEY
ARE.

AH—

GRIP

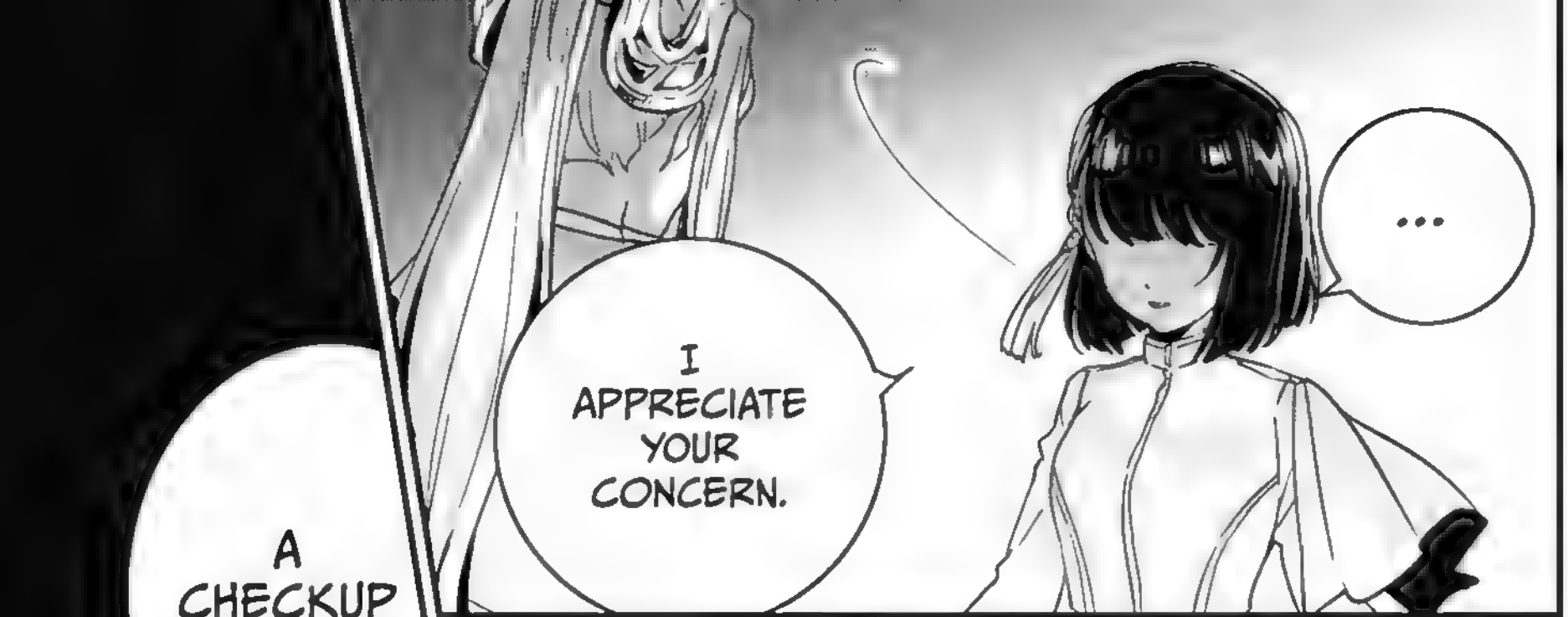
THEY SAY
THAT STRESS
BROUGHT
ON BY LONG
WORKING
HOURS...

...CAN HAVE
A TERRIBLY
HARMFUL
EFFECT ON
YOUR BRAIN
SYSTEMS.

IS THAT ALL
FOR YOUR
QUESTIONS,
FUTABA?

YES.

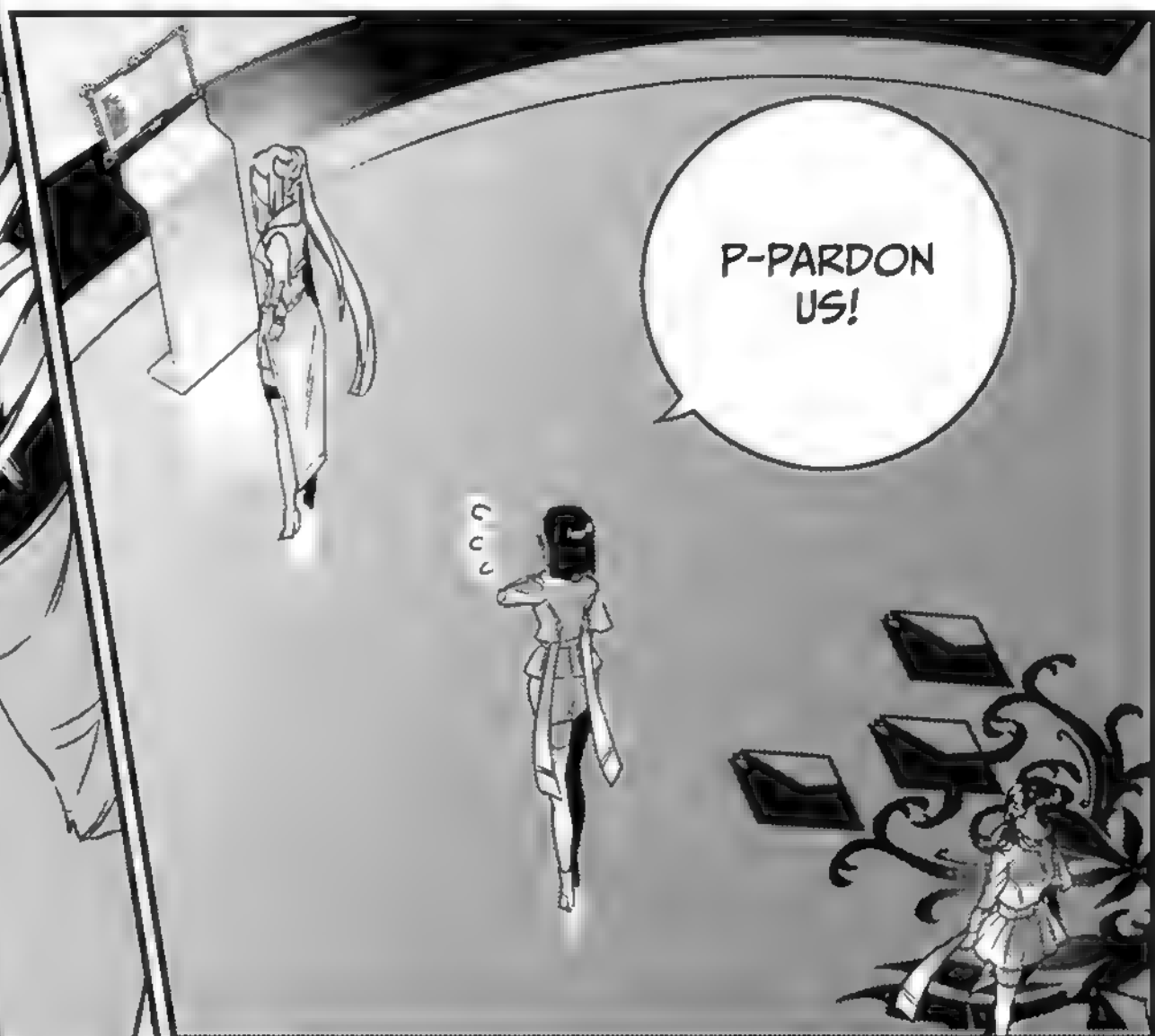
I SUGGEST
YOU SCREEN
YOURSELF FOR
A CHECKUP.



A
CHECKUP
?



INDEED.





HA
HA
HA!

AAAH
HA
HA!

WHICH ONE
OF US REALLY
NEEDS THAT
CHECK?

LOST
LOST
LO
LO

OFFLINE



THEY
DIDN'T
KILL EACH
OTHER.

HMM.

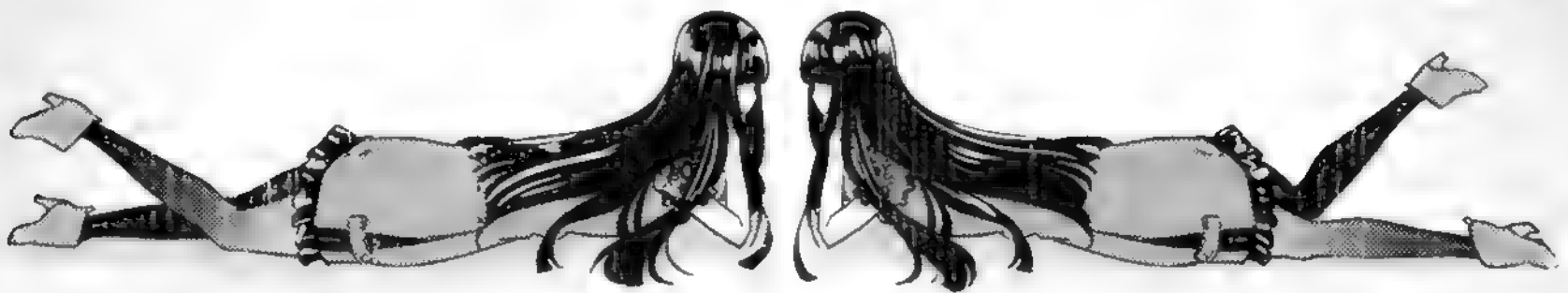
ANDROIDS
ARE SO
STRANGE.

ANDROIDS
ARE SO
STRANGE.

THEY
SHOULD
JUST
KILL EACH
OTHER.

YEAH,
THEY
SHOULD JUST
KILL EACH
OTHER.

THEY
SHOULD
JUST DIE.



THEY
SHOULD
JUST END
THEIR
LIVES.

FIND
THE MACHINE
SERVER DEEP
IN MOUNT
KA'ALA, OAHU...

...AND
DESTROY
IT.

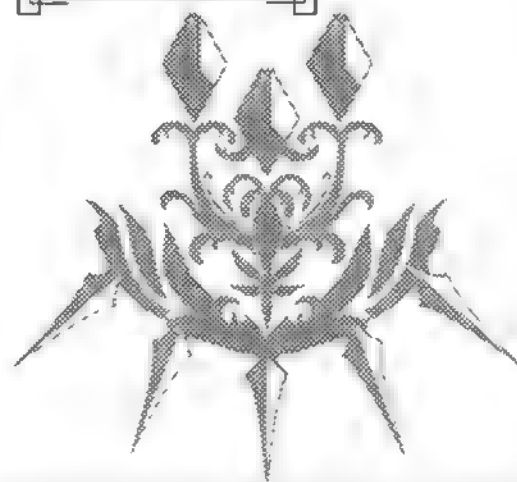
MISSION
DETAILS
ARE AS
FOLLOWS.

MAIN SERVER

Chapter 4

THE 14TH
MACHINE
WAR.

PEARL
HARBOR
DESCENT.



AN ELEVATOR
FROM THE PEAK
IS REQUIRED
TO REACH THE
UNDERGROUND
SERVER.

HARD TO
IMAGINE...

...THAT
THEIR MAIN
SERVER'S
DOWN
THERE.

THAT ABOUT
SUMS UP
WHAT YOU'RE
TELLING US,
DOESN'T IT?





WE
WOULD
LIKE YOU
TO ASSIST
US.




WE NEED
MORE
FIREPOWER
FOR OUR
STRATEGY TO
WORK.



WE NEED
TO SEE IF
WE SHOULD
RISK OUR
LIVES...

...FOR YOUR
OPERATION.



...I'LL GIVE
YOU WHAT
INTEL WE
HAVE ON THE
MACHINES.

WHEN WE
GET BACK
TO THE
RESISTANCE
CAMP...

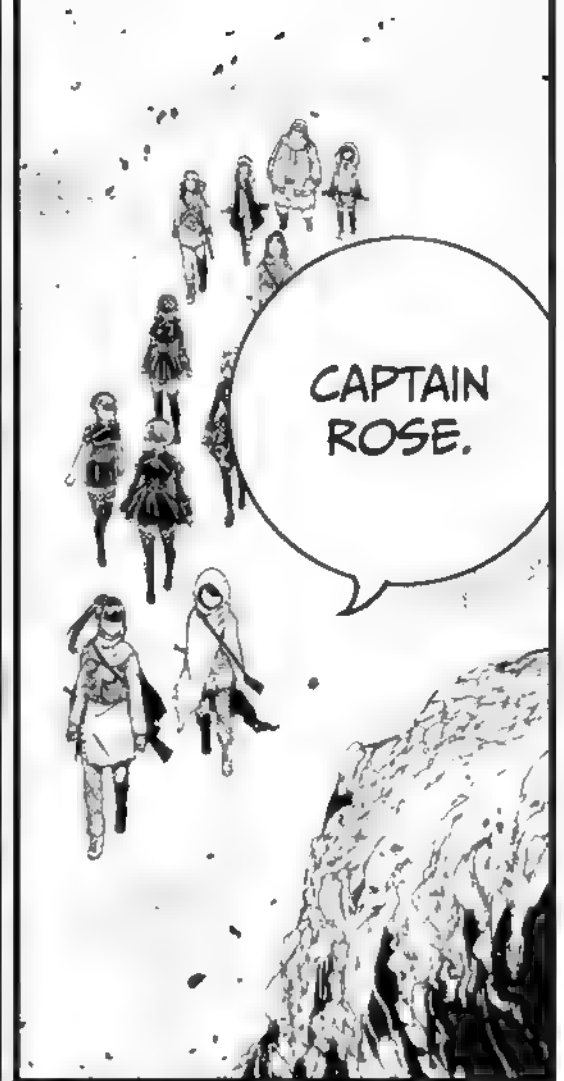


BUT
WHETHER OR
NOT WE'LL
JOIN YOUR
MISSION...

...I CAN'T
SAY JUST
YET.



ARE WE
REALLY
TAKING THEM
TO CAMP?



CAPTAIN
ROSE.



WE STILL
DON'T KNOW IF
THEY'RE ON OUR
SIDE OR NOT. IT'S
TOO DANGEROUS
TO LET THEM
JOIN US.

I DON'T
THINK WE
SHOULD.



YOU DO
HAVE A
POINT.



BUT...

...IF THEY
REALLY
ARE MORE
ADVANCED
ANDROIDS...

AND I'M
WILLING
TO BET
ON THOSE
CHANCES.

...THEN THEY
MAY TURN
THIS WAR
AROUND.



...BUT
THERE'S
NO WAY TO
TELL IF WHAT
THEY SAY IS
TRUE.

THAT
MAY BE
SO...





ANEMONE.

AND IF THEY
NOTICE THAT
WE'RE—



IF WE
DECIDE THAT
THEY'RE THE
ENEMY...

...WE'LL
JUST SHOOT
THEM.

THAT'S
HOW WE'VE
SURVIVED
SO FAR.

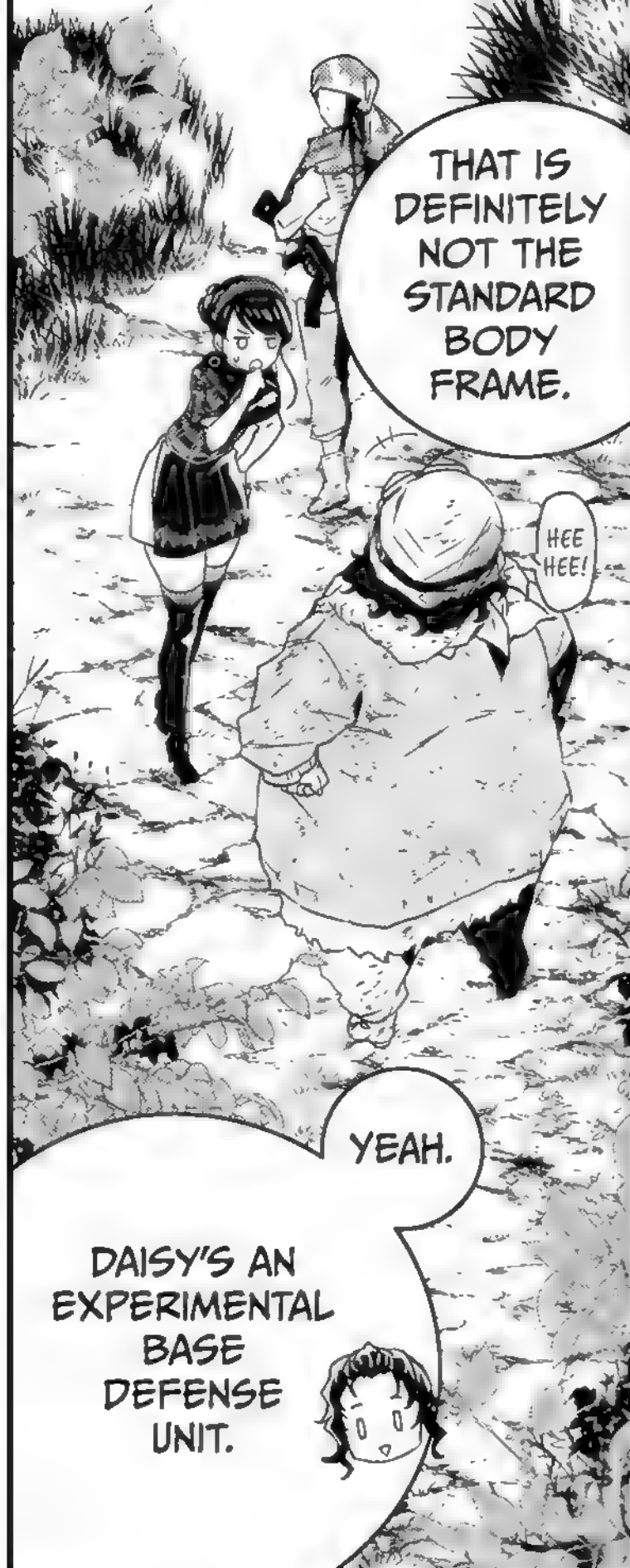
RIGHT?

NO. 16

A GUNNER WHO EXCELS IN LONG-RANGE MARKSMANSHIP. DESPITE HER BRASH AND BOLD WAYS, SHE'S A SIMPLE CREATURE AT THE END OF THE DAY. THOUGH HER LANGUAGE IS ROUGH, IT'S APPARENT FROM TIME TO TIME THAT SHE'S ALWAYS CONCERNED FOR HER SQUADMATES AND HAS A GOOD HEART.







THAT IS
DEFINITELY
NOT THE
STANDARD
BODY
FRAME.

HEE
HEE!

YEAH.

DAISY'S AN
EXPERIMENTAL
BASE
DEFENSE
UNIT.



THAT'S
SOME HEAVY
ARMOR
YOU'RE
PACKING!

WHY ARE
YOU SO
ROUND?!

WHAM

L



BASE?

DEFENSE?





I EVEN HAVE
TWO FUSION
REACTORS!

THAT
DOES MEAN
I NEED A
WHOLE LOT
MORE WATER,
THOUGH.

MY MODEL
COMES WITH
LARGER
MEMORY BANKS
AND THICKER
ARMOR.



YEAH.

YOU
COULD
SAY
THAT.



I HAVE HEARD THAT
THE MODEL WAS
NOT ADOPTED DUE
TO POOR FUEL
ECONOMY.



I
BELIEVE...

...YOUR MODEL
WAS ORIGINALLY
INSTATED AS A
BACKUP UNIT FOR
COMMANDING
OFFICERS,
CORRECT?



AND THAT'S
A SPECIAL
MODEL TOO,
RIGHT?

THAT LITTLE
ONE CAN'T
BE A BATTLE
ANDROID,
CAN SHE?

SHE'S SO
SMALL, AND
HER TWIGGY
LITTLE LIMBS
WOULD SNAP
IN A SECOND.

SO THEN,
WHAT?

DOES THAT
MAKE YOU
THE PRINCESS
AROUND
HERE?









YOU'RE
THE
CAPTAIN,
RIGHT?

YOU'RE A
MILITARY UNIT.
KEEP YOUR
CHAIN OF
COMMAND
INTACT.



SHE...
ス...



WE STILL
HAVE A
WAYS TO
GO UNTIL
CAMP.

WE'LL
REST HERE
FOR A
LITTLE BIT.



A-ALL
RIGHT.



...REMIND
ME OF WHEN
OUR SQUAD
FIRST MET.

THOSE
PEOPLE IN
BLACK...

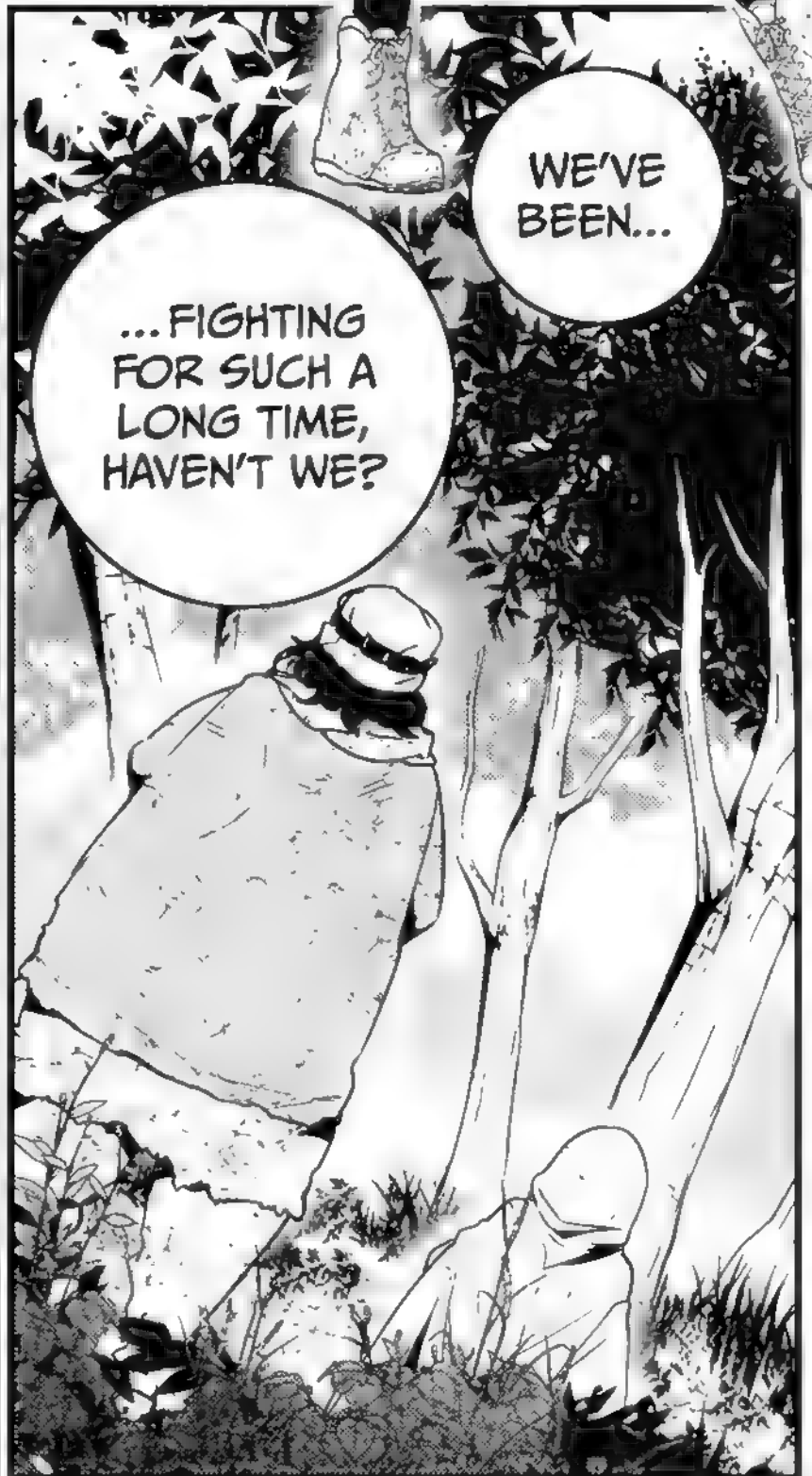


HA HA!

NOT THAT
WE'VE GOTTEN
ANYWHERE.

...FIGHTING
FOR SUCH A
LONG TIME,
HAVEN'T WE?

WE'VE
BEEN...





IS IT...?

I
GUESS.

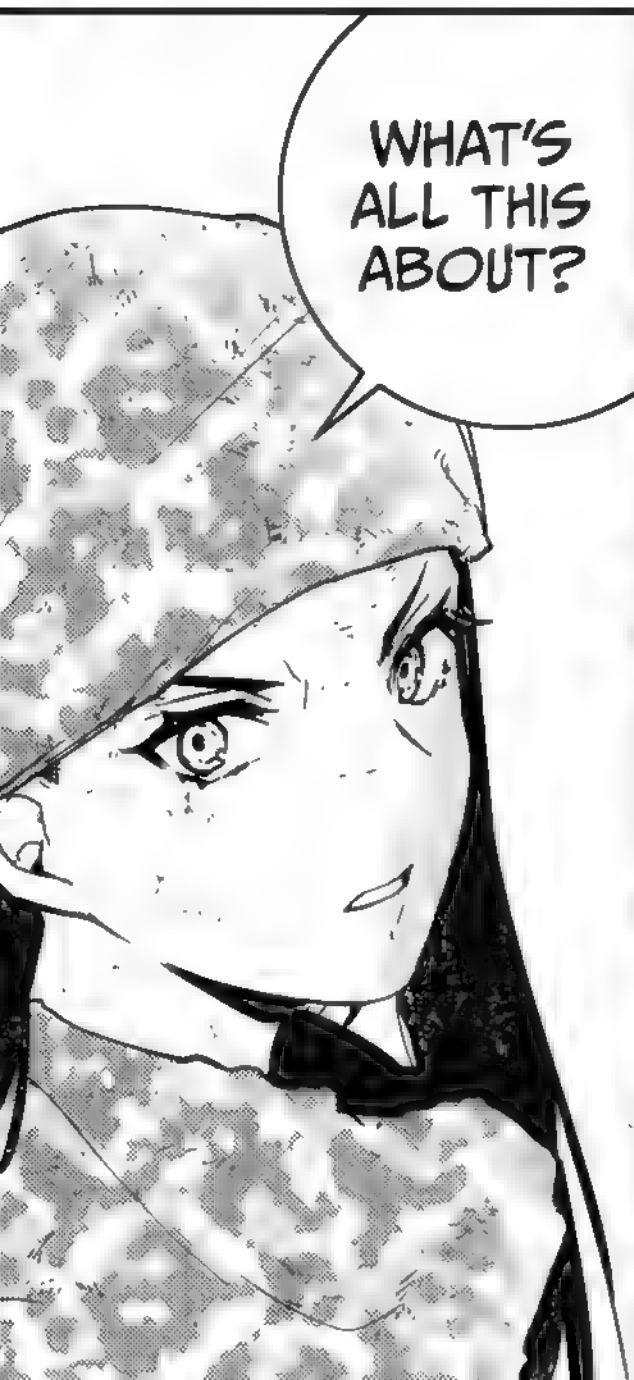


BUT I THINK
SURVIVING
IS MORE
IMPORTANT!



...OF KILL
OR BE
KILLED.

IT'S ALMOST
LIKE WE'RE
TRAPPED IN
AN ENDLESS
SPIRAL...







...CROSSED
A LINE
EARLIER.

TCH.

I, UH.

I...

TH-THIS IS
SUPPOSED
TO BE AN
APOLOGY!

STARE



SHORT
FUSE?
REALLY?

BUT SHE'S
NOT A BAD
PERSON.

I KNOW
NO. 16 HAS
A SHORT
FUSE.

SO, UM...



THEN GO
APOLOGIZE
TO DAISY
AND LILY.

WE'RE
DOING
THAT
NEXT!



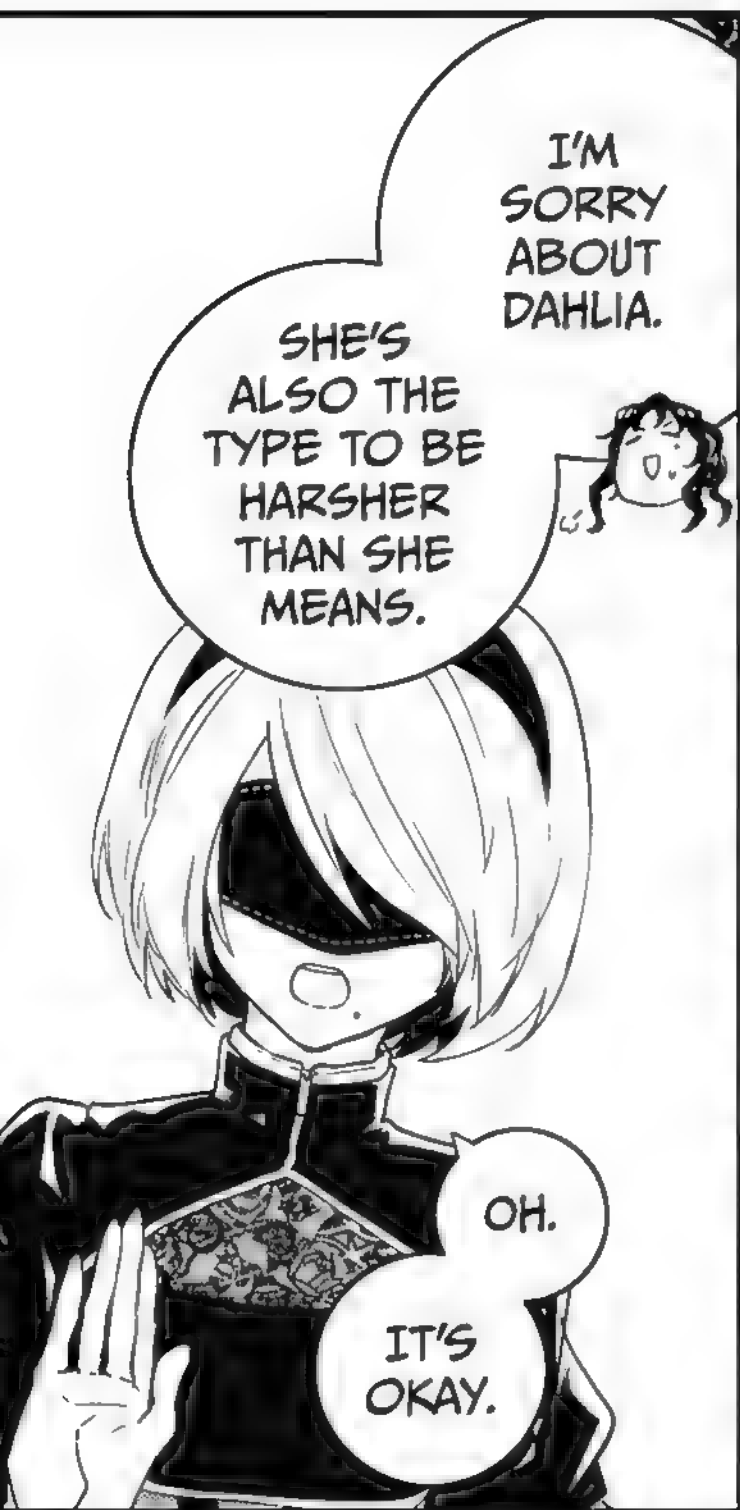
I DON'T
CARE
ANYMORE.

WILL YOU...
FORGIVE
HER?

THAT
WON'T
MEAN
SHIT.



BUT WE
WANTED TO
COME TO YOU
FIRST, SINCE
YOU SEEMED
THE ANGRIEST.





I'M
GOING TO
SCOUT THE
PERIMETER.

MY
MAINTENANCE
IS DONE.



OUCH!



YOU'VE GOT
SOME METAL
FATIGUE AROUND
YOUR SHOULDER
SOCKET FROM
THAT LAST
FIGHT.

WE'LL HAVE
TO TRADE
FOR NEW
PARTS.





I'M SORRY
MY BODY'S
SO WEAK,
DAISY.

AWW,
DON'T
BE LIKE
THAT.



YOU'RE, UM,
NO...Z1?

WAS THAT
IT?

YES.



OH.



I SEE.



WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING?

MAINTENANCE
ON LILY'S
BODY.

I ALWAYS
TAKE A LOOK
AFTER A
BATTLE.




HM?

I THOUGHT
YOU YORHA
WERE
SUPPOSED
TO STAY
BLIND-
FOLDED?

SHF...







...ARE THE
DESERTERS
FROM THE 8TH
DESCENT.

I WANT
TO ASK IF
YOU...



LIKE, YOU
CREEPING
AROUND?

YOU
POINTING YOUR
GUN AT ME?
I CAN HEAR
ALL THAT.

WE NEWER
MODELS HAVE
SUPERIOR
FEATURES
COMPARED TO
YOURS, YOU
KNOW.





SO
IF YOU
WANT TO
FIGHT...

...I'LL
HAPPILY
OBLIGE!



WHAT
DO YOU
WANT?!



THERE'S
YOU AND
THAT OTHER
ONE.

I KNOW
YOU'VE
FIGURED
US OUT BY
NOW.





WHA...?

WHADDYA
MEAN,
SNIFFING
AROUND?!

SO YOU
WERE SENT
AFTER US!
I KNEW IT!



NO. 2!

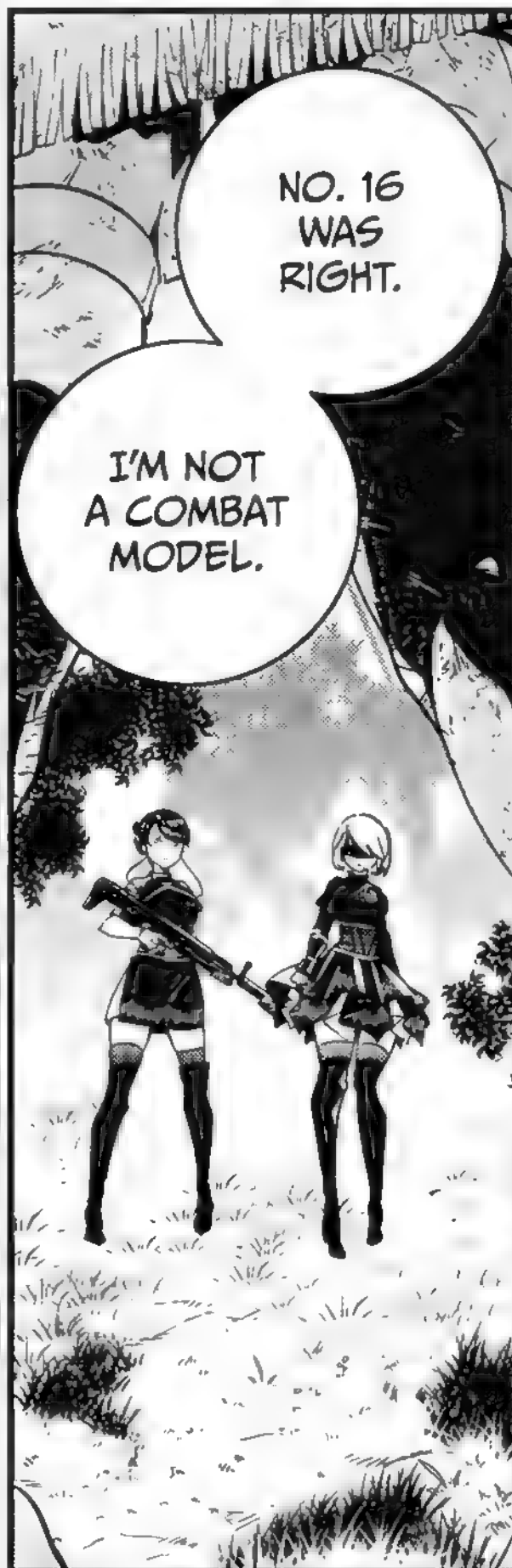
DID YOU
COME TO
DISPOSE
OF US?!



WHAT
IN THE
WORLD
IS GOING
ON?



EVERYONE,
STOP!





I WAS...

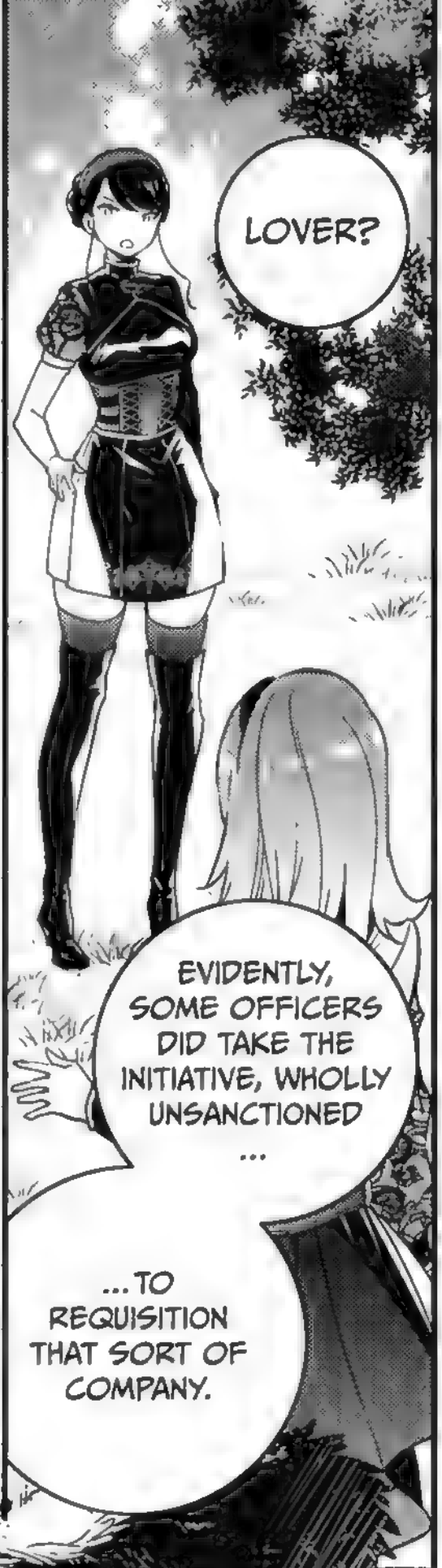
...SENT
DOWN IN
THE 8TH
DESCENT...

...AS A
LOVER MODEL
ASSIGNED TO
THE UNIT'S
COMMANDING
OFFICER.



CAPTAIN
ROSE
ORDERED
US TO
DESERT...

...ALL TO
PROTECT
ME—



LOVER?

EVIDENTLY,
SOME OFFICERS
DID TAKE THE
INITIATIVE, WHOLLY
UNSANCTIONED
...

...TO
REQUISITION
THAT SORT OF
COMPANY.



GASP

NGH!

LILY...

HUFF

HUFF

WOBBLE



...I...



...I'M...

I TOLD
YOU...



THAT WHOLE
OPERATION
WAS HELL.





SQUAD-
MATES
WERE
DYING.

THE
STRATEGY
WAS
RECKLESS.

THE
MACHINE
NUMBERS
WERE
GROWING.

REQUESTS
FOR
REINFORCE-
MENTS WERE
IGNORED.

WE GREW
MORE
EXHAUSTED
BY THE DAY.



...IT WAS
LILY WHO
WAS ALWAYS
THERE TO
CHEER US
UP.



BUT...



...OUR
COMMAND-
ING
OFFICER...

HOW-
EVER...

...STARTED
TAKING HER
STRESS OUT
ON LILY.

WE
HEARD HER
SCREAMS
EVERY
NIGHT.

EVERY SINGLE
NIGHT WE'D
HEAR ANGRY
YELLING AND
THE SOUNDS
OF SLAPS
AND HITS.

BUT...

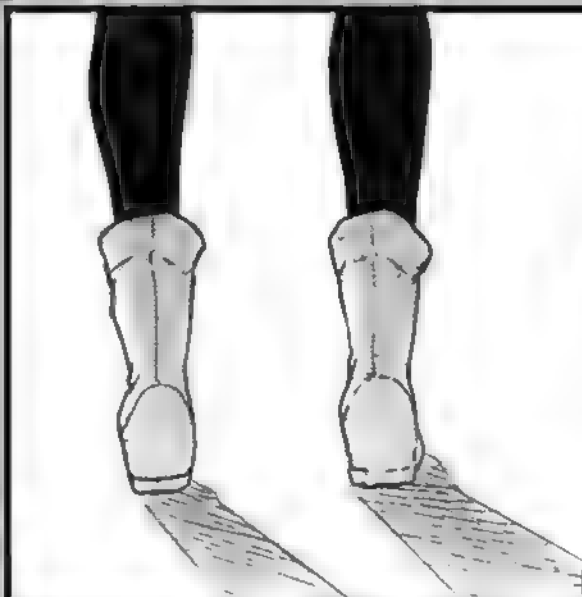
...IN WAR, AN
OFFICER'S
ORDERS ARE
ABSOLUTE.



THAT FACT HUNG
OVER US. WE
PERSISTED WITH
THE MISSION
LIKE WE DIDN'T
KNOW WHAT WAS
HAPPENING.



IS
SOMEONE
THERE?



AND
THEN...

...ONE
DAY...





CAP..TAIN...



CAPTAIN
ROSE
SNAPPED.

SHE BEAT
THE BITCH
TO WITHIN AN
INCH OF HER
LIFE.



THAT'S
OUR
STORY.

WHEN THE
CAPTAIN TRIED
TO TURN
HERSELF IN,
WE STOPPED
HER.

AND
THEN WE
DESERTED
FROM THE
SQUAD.



BEFORE
SPEAKING
WITH LILY...

...I ACCESSED
THE BUNKER
SERVERS.

THERE, I
FOUND YOU
ALL WERE
REGISTERED
AS
DESERTERS.



SO
THAT'S WHAT
HAPPENED.

THAT'S
SOME SHIT
YOU'VE BEEN
THROUGH.



SO YOU
KNOW WE'RE
DESERTERS.

BUT YOU
STILL WANT
TO KEEP
WORKING
TOGETHER?



CONSIDERING
WHAT THE
FUTURE MAY
BRING...


...I DEEMED IT
NECESSARY TO
ORGANIZE WHAT
WE KNOW ABOUT
EACH OTHER.



WHAT
HAPPENED
TO YOU IN THE
PAST DOESN'T
MATTER.

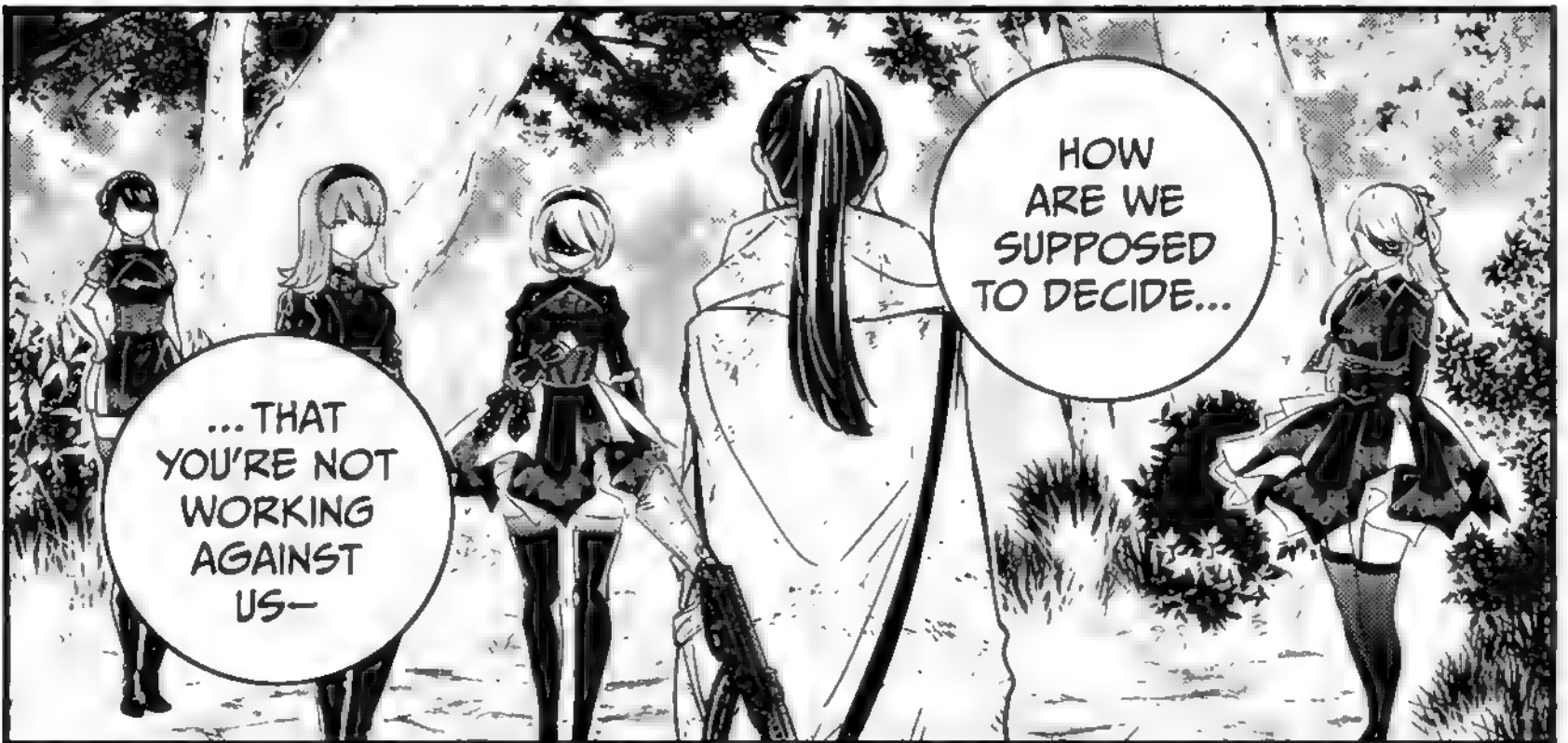
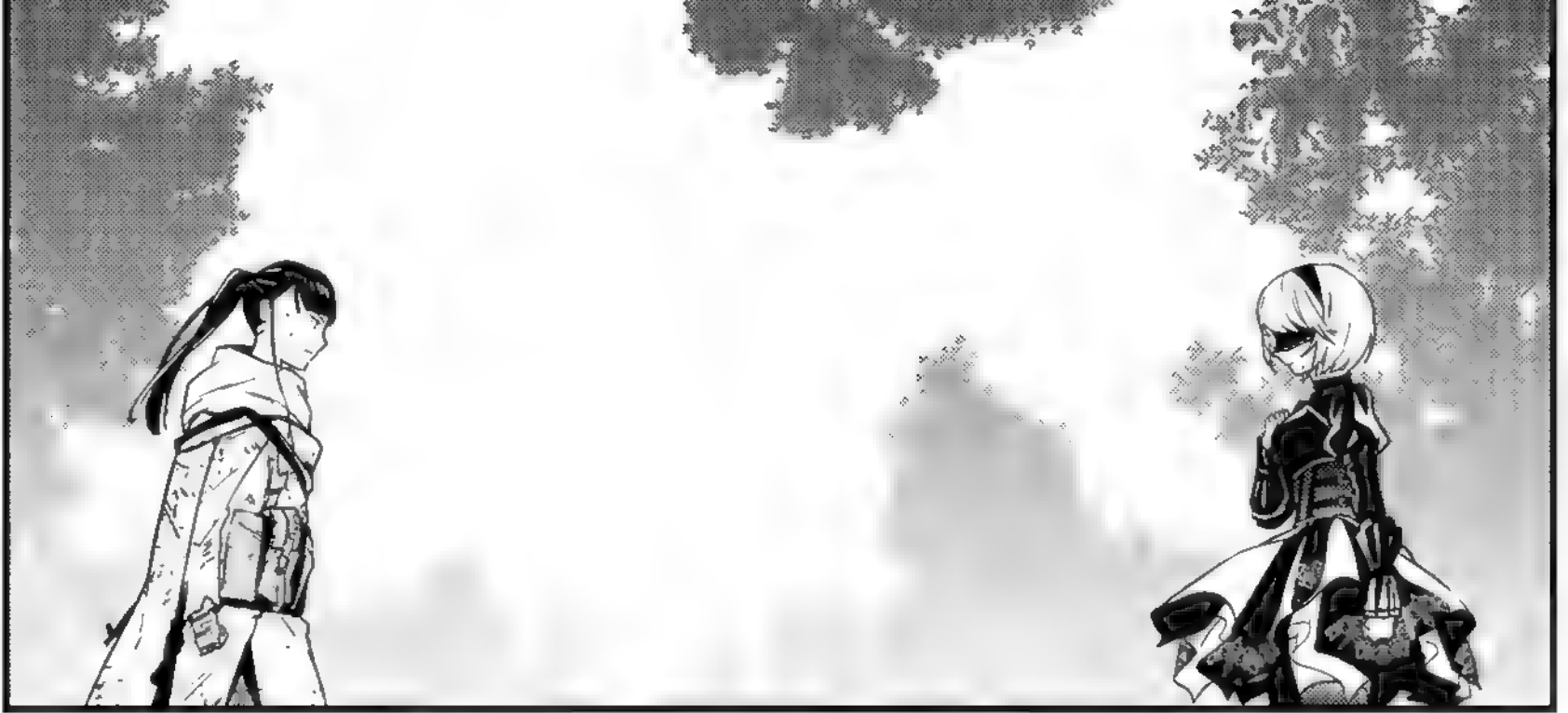


I DO!



IF
THERE'S A
CHANCE THAT
EVERYONE
HERE CAN
SURVIVE...

... THEN
I'LL BET
ON THOSE
CHANCES.





...WHO
OUR
ENEMY
IS.

I KNOW...

?!

ANEMONE
?!



LILY?!

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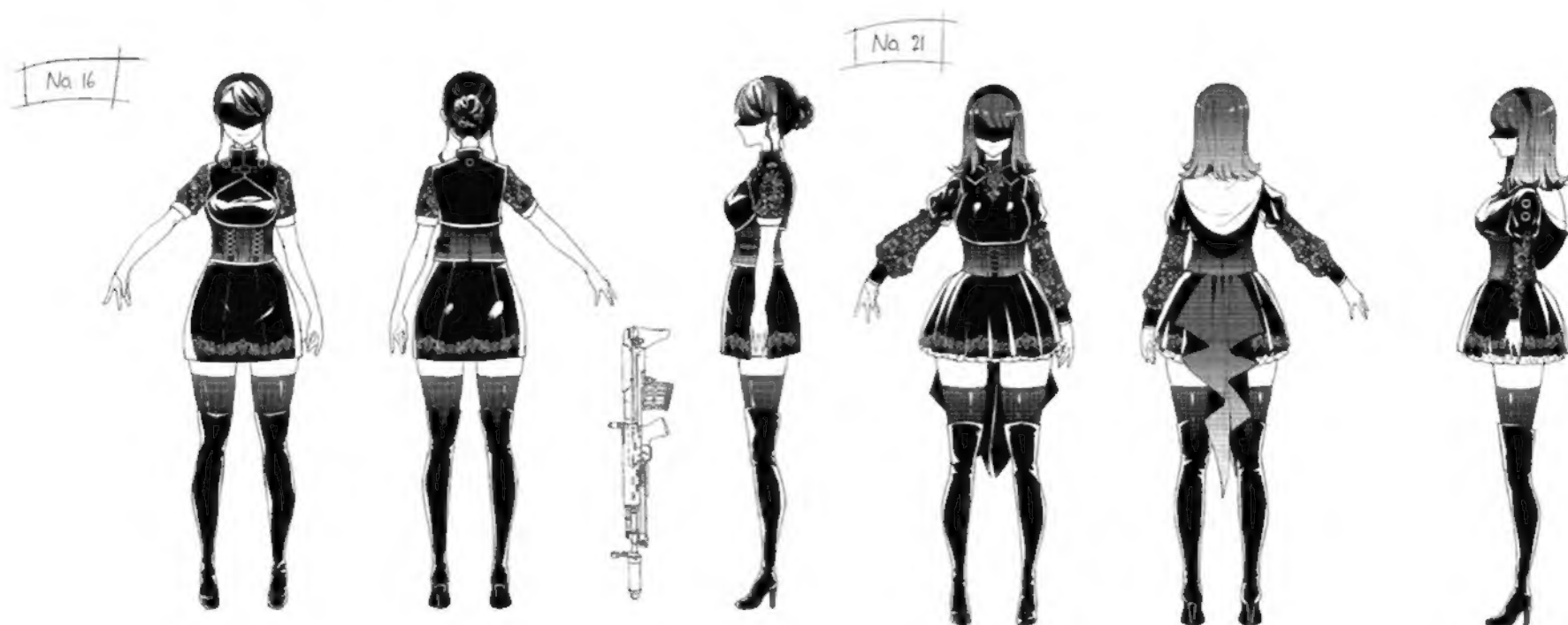
Assistants

hat.
Naomi
Yuta

2021. 4

Yuta

Concept Art



HOW DIRTY THEY ARE IS GENERALLY OBVIOUS. THEIR RIFLES ARE CRACKED AND GRIMY TOO (OK TO USE A BRUSH).



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